

Anniversary St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church - Sunday Oct. 7

11.00 A.M. — REV. W. A. CAMERON, D.D., TORONTO

7.30 P.M. — REV. DONALD MCKAY, BURNBRAE

SPECIAL MUSIC BY THE CHOIR

ALL ARE INVITED

St. Paul's W.A. Hears Fine Talk

"The Post-War Women" Is
Subject of Address By Mrs.
E. C. Roberts, Campbellford

The October meeting of St. Paul's Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. J. B. Thompson on Tuesday afternoon, October 2nd, with forty-three ladies present. The devotional and business portion of the meeting was directed by the president, Mrs. R. B. Duffin. The meeting opened with the singing of the theme song, prayer by the President, followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison. The minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary, along with all other communications received during the past month, also reported five cards and two letters had been sent during September. The visiting committee reported sixteen visiting calls made during the month. Mrs. O. Stapley and Mrs. M. Hick will act as the visiting committee for October. The Treasurer, Mrs. Oliver Stapley presented a very complete financial report. Miss Della Caldwell presented a very complete and detailed report of the meeting of the Board of Stewards and all members of the Parsonage Committee of the W. A. which met at the Parsonage on Monday evening. A motion was passed, giving this committee the authority to act in regards to the decorating and etc., of the Parsonage. The canvassers were all appointed to canvas in lieu of cooking, and reports handed in to the President or Secretary by Saturday, was directed by the convenor of the committee, Mrs. Walter Elliott. After the singing of hymn 577, Mrs. Will West read the Scripture Lesson, taken from the second chapter of Corinthians, verses 6 to 15, and Mrs. G. W. Hagerman gave the comments on the Lesson, followed with prayer by Mrs. G. W. Jones. Mrs. Walter Elliott gave a timely talk on "Thanksgiving". In a very capable manner the speaker took each letter in the word "Thanksgiving", giving a word beginning with that letter, and explaining how we could apply it to our everyday life. Mrs. Cecil Macklin delighted the W.A. with the solo, "Count Your Blessings", accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Herb David. Mrs. E. C. Roberts, of Campbellford, was the guest speaker of the afternoon, and delivered an outstanding address on, "The Post War Women." The speaker stressed the task that the women of to-day are facing, as so much depends upon the influence of the home. Mrs. Roberts left a stirring message of real interest with her listeners.

The meeting closed with the singing of hymn 579—and mizpah benediction. A very dainty luncheon was served by the committee in charge. The gratitude of the W. A. to the hostesses, Mrs. J. B. Thompson and Mrs. Edgar Morrow, the guest speaker, Mrs. Roberts, and all who took part on the program, and the entire committee in charge was ably voiced by Mrs. G. H. Luery. The following ladies were responsible for the program and lunch. Mrs. Walter Elliott, Mrs. G. W. Hagerman, Mrs. M. Hick, Mrs. G. W. Jones, Miss Eliza Donnan, Mrs. Will West, Mrs. M. Phillips, Mrs. C. Thompson, Mrs. H. Potter, Mrs. W. Hawkins, Mrs. H. Detlor, Mrs. Roy Finkle.

ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford L. Hatton announce the engagement of their only daughter, Betty Eleanor, to Squadron Leader Chas. H. Porter, D.F.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Porter, of Weston, Ont. The marriage to take place on Saturday, October 20th, at 4 o'clock in Sherbourne St. United Church, Toronto.

WORLD SERIES TIED

The World Series in baseball between Chicago Cubs and Detroit Tigers is all tied up at one game apiece. The Cubs won the opening game yesterday by a score of 9-0 but Detroit came back strong today to win 4-1.

Hydro Service Interrupted

Hydro service in Stirling was interrupted about 4:45 Tuesday afternoon, when a short circuit, occurred on the lines at a point behind W. T. Elliott's barn on Henry St. Employees of the local Commission made the necessary repairs and the power was turned on again shortly after 6 p.m.

THANKSGIVING AT POST OFFICE

There will be no rural mail delivery on the Thanksgiving holiday, it was announced by postmaster F. W. Houchin today. All windows at the post office will be open from 8 to 9 a.m., but the public lobby will be open throughout the day.

All places of business in the Village will be closed for the holiday.

Achievement Day At High School

The students of the Stirling High School will hold their Achievement Day tomorrow (Friday) afternoon from 2:30 to 4 o'clock, when vegetables and poultry raised by the students, as well as products of the general shop and Home Economics Departments will be on exhibit in the school gymnasium. The general public, particularly parents of students are cordially invited to attend.

Wolf Cubs Organized

An organization meeting of the Wolf Cubs was held in the High School, at 4:15 p.m., on Friday last, with 25 boys in attendance. The pack will be under the leadership of Mr. Harold E. Baker, who will have as his assistants, David Duffin, Jimmy Wright, Grant Hellwell, Kenneth Black and Frank Weaver. Meetings will be held each Wednesday evening from 7 to 8 in the High School Gymnasium.

Plans were made for the official Scout "Apple Day" to be held later this month, when citizens will be given an opportunity to aid this worthy organization. Proceeds will be used to help defray the cost of the boys' uniforms.

Home From Overseas

A veteran of over three years' service overseas, Spr. Garnet Forsythe, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Forsythe, Springbrook, arrived home on Tuesday. Gr. Forsythe, who is a former student of Stirling High School, was employed in the mines at Copper Cliff previous to his enlistment in the Royal Canadian Engineers at North Bay in 1940. He saw service in Sicily, Italy and on the Western Front, and came through unscathed.

Warden And Wife 25 Years Married

On Saturday last, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Wilson, Trent Road, were at home to their many friends and relatives on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. The door was opened by their little niece, Marilyn Jones and the guests were welcomed by Mrs. Bowler, Mrs. R. C. Clarke and Mrs. F. Johnson, and were very graciously received in the living room by Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. J. Sandercock; their attendants of 25 years ago, Miss Olivia Wilson, of Kingston, and Mr. F. Sandercock of Wooler.

Miss Alice Wilson, of Trenton, invited the guests to the dining room, which was a picture with the table covered by beautiful lace cloth centred with a crystal bowl filled with Sweetheart roses, flanked by tall ivory tapers in silver candleabra. Miss Verna Wilson, of Kingston, was in charge of the guest book.

Among the many gifts was a beautiful cabinet of silver, the gift of the Sidney Township Council and officials

St. John's Men's Club Organized

Glen Morrow Elected To
President's Chair — Plans
Made For Current Year

A re-organization meeting was held in St. John's Parish Hall on Tuesday evening, Oct. 2nd.

The following executive was elected for the coming year.

Hon. Pres.—Rev. C. C. Brazill.
Pres.—Glen Morrow.

Vice-Pres.—Roy Bateman.

Treasurer—G. L. Johnstone.

Sec.—T. C. MacConnell.

Chairman Lunch Committee—W. Wright.

Chairman Property Committee—Jas. McDonell.

Chairman Entertainment Committee—Dr. E. A. Careton.

Chairman Membership Committee—E. Salisbury.

The meeting closed with prayer by Rev. C. C. Brazill, to meet again on Tuesday evening, November 6th.

CHANGE IN HOUR OF SERVICE

Commencing Sunday next, October 7th, the evening service at Grace Chapel will be held at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock.

Geo. White, M.P., Gets Lights for Station

In a letter to the Editor of this great family journal, Mr. Geo. White, M.P., for Hastings - Peterborough, states that for a considerable time he has been endeavouring to induce the Canadian Pacific Railway to install electric lights in their station at Bonarlaw.

The following letter received by Mr. White from D. S. Thomson, General Superintendent of the Ontario District of the Canadian Pacific Railway, is self explanatory.

Mr. Geo. S. White, M.P.
Ottawa, Canada.
Dear Mr. White

Referring to your letter of the 26th instant.

The installation of electric lights at Bonarlaw Station has been approved. The material required is now on order and the installation will be proceeded with just as soon as it is received.

The matter will be followed up to see that there is no undue delay in having the work done.

Yours truly,
D. S. Thomson

Honoured On 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Holden, of Carmel, Presented With A Hassock and Mirror

On Tuesday evening about forty neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Holden and surprised them with a social gathering on their fiftieth wedding anniversary.

Mr. Ed. Pyear acting as chairman, called the gathering to order and introduced a short programme. Mrs. Arthur Pyear read an address, and a hassock and mirror were presented by Mrs. Harry Brown and Mrs. Chas. Bailey. Mr. and Mrs. Holden made suitable replies. Lunch was served with a cake covered with fifty candles, baked by Mrs. Robt. Neal. Mr. Sylvester Holden and Miss Bertha Wilson were married at Gilmour, on Oct. 2nd, 1895. The attendants were Mr. Arthur Wilson, brother of the bride and Miss Hannah Haggerty.

On Sunday, Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McMullen, Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Holden and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott, Belleville and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McConkey, Consecan, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holden.

TO VISIT ST. JOHN'S



RT. REV. JOHN LYONS, M.A., D.D.

The 85th Anniversary of St. John's Church will be held Sunday, October 7th. A special re-opening service will take place at 11 a.m. with the Lord Bishop of Ontario, Rt. Rev. John Lyons, M.A.D.D., as preacher. At the evening service at 7:30, Rev. N. R. Stout, rector of Gananoque, will preach.

Presented With Picture

At the Rally Day Service held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, on Sunday morning, Mr. Harper Rollins, who recently resigned as superintendent of the Sunday School, was presented with a picture, "The Good Shepherd", in appreciation of his services. The presentation, which was made by Miss Gena Spy, on behalf of the Sunday School, took place following a recitation of "The Lord Is My Shepherd", by Miss Carolyn Rollins.

H. S. Literary Society Reorganizes

The annual reorganization meeting of the Literary Society of the High School took place Tuesday morning. The election of officers for the year 1945-46 resulted as follows:

Hon. President—Miss B. Linnen.
President—Helen Johnstone.
Vice-President—Roy Thompson.
Secretary—Mary Chambers.
Treasurer—Grant Stapley.

Girls' Athletic Representative—Ruth Rose.

Boys' Athletic Rep.—Doug. Bastedo.

Dowdell-Kirkey Nuptials

Bethel United Church, on Saturday afternoon, September 29, at two p.m., was beautifully decorated with baskets of gladioli, asters and marigolds, and made a pretty setting for an all-white wedding, when Miss Myrtle Emily Kirkey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kirkey, Rawdon, became the bride of William Dowdell, Shannonville.

The bride chose the groom's two sisters, as matron of honor and bridesmaid, while Miss Ruth Chambers, of Peterborough, was the other bridesmaid.

Mrs. Ray Short played the wedding music and Mrs. Walter Warren sang "All Joy Be Thine", with Rev. T. F. Townsend officiating.

The wedding reception was held at the Barbecue Tavern, Belleville, where the special room was nicely decorated for the occasion and the three-tiered wedding cake was cut by the bride.

The bride's gift to her attendants, pianist and soloist were pearl chokers.

A large number of Bethel folks, also guests from Napanee, Toronto and Peterborough were among those present.

Surg. Com. Marvin C. Wellman and Mrs. Wellman, of St. John's, Newfoundland, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. MacConnell this afternoon.

Village Council Holds Regular

Matters of Routine Occupy
Time of Members — Big
Elm Tree To Be Removed

Matters of routine occupied the attention of the village council at the regular monthly meeting on Monday night. Reeve Wm. West presided and was supported by Councillors Elliott, Bailey, Thompson and Wells.

Following the adoption of the minutes of last meeting, G. H. Luery, clerk, read communications from the Toronto Industrial Commission, and the Department of planning and Development enclosing a questionnaire concerning the advantages offered by this village to new industries. The clerk was authorized to prepare an answer to same to be presented to council before being forwarded to the Department.

Mr. A. Collings addressed Council relative to tile for a driveway to his property on Edward St. The Streets Committee will make an early inspection of the site.

Reeve West introduced the matter of removing the big elm tree by the bandstand. Many of its limbs were badly decayed and while he regretted having it destroyed, yet he felt it was a menace to public safety in its present condition. Members of Council agreed and it was moved by councillors Bailey and Elliott that the tree be given anyone who would remove it without damage to the surrounding property.

A request from Lawrence Munro to have the walk repaired in front of his residence was left with the streets committee and the procuring of suitable logs for use at the village dam was discussed at length.

The following accounts were ordered paid—K. Ward, \$54.00; Wells Bros. wood, \$40.00; W. T. Elliott, tailoring collection bond, \$12.00; J. L. Good, painting rest rooms, \$8.40; Sam Bowen, work on culverts, \$9.90; Harry Francis, \$4.15; Harry Jones, gravel, \$7.00; Fruit Machinery Co., streets, \$25.92; Livingston Stokers, \$8.90.

Educational Council Plan Convention

The annual convention of the Stirling, Rawdon and Marmora Religious Education Council, representing the Sunday Schools of this area, is to be held this year at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling, on Friday afternoon and evening, October 26th.

An interesting program is being arranged for both afternoon and evening sessions. Supper for the visiting delegates will be served by the ladies of St. Andrew's Church.

The convention is fortunate in having as its special speaker and discussion leader, Miss Frances Clark, of Toronto, who has recently been appointed as the Children's Work Secretary of the Ontario Religious Educational Council. W. J. Cottrell, of Marmora, who has taken a leading part in church and Sunday school work in this district, will preside over the sessions.

Coming Events

NOTICE—A MEETING OF ALL WAR Veterans will be held in Madoc Armouries on Friday evening, October 5th, at 8 p.m. Please do come.

THANKSGIVING DANCE—Auspices Tweed Sodality Girls, at St. Catharines Auditorium, Tweed, on Monday night, October 8th. Aces Orchestra. Admission 50¢ each. Lunch will be served.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD Effects, the property of Mrs. Wallace Simmons, Foxboro, on Wednesday, October 10th, 1945 commencing at 1 o'clock. Terms of sale: Cash. Mrs. Wallace Simmons, Owner, Foxboro, owner; G. W. Arnott, Auct.

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THOUGHTS WHILE SHOWERING

• Hear that William M. Birks took on the chairmanship of the National Clothing Collection. Hmmm... if that man of affairs is taking time off to collect clothes for the relief of war victims, must be a mighty important need. Good idea, too, combining for all nations in one big annual drive. Better than lots of little drives. Tears my heart out to think of shivering youngsters anywhere, regardless whether it's China, Greece, Britain, Russia or any place else on earth. Cold is lots colder when you've nothing on to fight it. Don't know how they withstand it last Winter. Fact is, I hear that too many thousands... no, better put my mind on something constructive. Make up a bundle? That ought to be easy. Let's see now... there's that flannel shirt I used to wear on hikes, too small for me now anyhow. Might as well throw in Jim's shirts, too—he'll never fit into them again when he's back from service. Know what? Gonna get rid of that old tweed suit that I haven't worn the past three years. Takes up too much closet room and Martha never did like it on me anyhow. Too bad they can't use my old felt hats... must have a million of them... but come to think of it, where's that heavy cap with the fur earlaps that Jim used to wear? Must be worth its weight in gold to a Belgian right now. Bet our house is loaded with things they need over there lots more than we need 'em here. Compared to them, we don't even know the meaning of war. All they ask of us now is to give what we can spare... I'll say, that's little enough we can do. Oh, MARTHA!

The local chapter of the I.O.D.E. has assumed charge of the drive for clothing in Stirling and district, and will make a canvas of the village on October 10th. Citizens are urged, if possible, to deliver their own clothing at the Agricultural Office, Stirling.

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TRULY A WAR LOAN

• Nowadays we are being jostled by problems of peace. Almost everything we read, all the utterances of public men, tends to emphasize the fact that the war is now history.

Yet, the Ninth Victory Loan which will be opened to the public on October 22, is definitely a war loan.

There exists no magic wand one can use to waft military forces from the scenes of battle to their normal surroundings overnight. Unfortunately, long after the enemy cries surrender, the cost of war goes on. It is estimated, for example, that the country of Canada must raise a sum of about \$25,000,000.00 during the present year to provide adequate medical attention and hospitalization for the men who are coming back wounded and sick. Last year, members of the House of Commons were told that at that time \$750,000,000.00 would be needed to pay gratuities and take care of re-establishment credits to men returning from battle. One year having passed since then, the cost of that important undertaking has now reached about \$900,000,000.00. In addition to all that, the Canadian people must meet the cost of bringing the troops home, the maintenance of our forces of occupation in Germany. Pay of the men who are waiting demobilization goes on. Cheques to dependents keep going out until the soldier has his discharge paper.

There are heavy domestic expenditures, made heavier by the unprecedented demands of this period of re-construction in the country, which are included in the total of the Ninth Victory Loan objective. But of this we can be sure. The major portion of the money which Canadians will provide for the purchase of bonds in October and November is needed to cover the cost of war.

What Others Say!

ONE MARRIAGE LAW

To prevent a continuance of confusing, unjust and, indeed, scandalous consequences, Canada should have a national and uniform Marriage Act superseding all existing acts and providing proper safeguards for the moral, legal and civil rights of contracting parties or their issue. Parliament should so enact and without further delay.

—Brantford Expositor.

ODD

It's a queer situation when there seems to be plenty of lumber for the construction of Summer cottages and not nearly so much of it for the build-

BACK TO CHURCH

• With the arrival of the fall season, the most active season for the churches gets underway. A great many people stay away from church during the summer months, although heaven knows they need the inspiration and help of the church just as much in the summer as any other time, points out the Barrie Examiner.

But whether or not church-going has been properly observed during the summer months, all should get back into the habit now that fall is here.

Church going is merely a human way, and a corporate way of showing gratitude for all the good things we enjoy. There are those morbid minds who would rather dwell on the sad things of life, and forget that they have a right to be grateful for the God-given privileges that all of us possess in some degree.

We can all be thankful for our homes, our friends, our food, clothing, and the beauties of the country in which we live. We can be thankful for music, and laughter, and the other simple pleasures of life. We can be thankful for being spared so much of what others have suffered in these past six years. We can be thankful for eyes that see, and ears that hear, and minds that can think.

We know the old story on being able to worship God just as well in the woods, along the trout stream, or even in one's own home. That's true, you can, but the trouble is, the people who argue this way don't do it. It is much better to join corporately with others in giving thanks for all the good things of life.

Lastly, the churches are the guardians of the moral and decent way of life. Let the churches starve for membership and money, and you will lose all that religion has given to the world, and that means all the freedoms to which we have become accustomed, and for which too often, we fail to be thankful, and fail to safeguard. Let's go back to church—starting next Sunday—Picton Gazette.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK—OCT. 7—13th

• For the first time in six long years, Fire Prevention Week will be observed under peacetime instead of war-time conditions. During that period, the world has seen the use of fire as a major weapon of war. It was the endeavour of both sides to reduce the other side's ability to wage war by the destruction by fire of his war plants and at the same time every effort was made in the homeland to prevent such destruction. In the end, the Allies by reason of vastly superior war materials, won out.

But have we won the fight against the fire demon here at home? Recent holocausts have indicated that we have not. The destruction by fire of one of the Great Lakes passenger boats, the burning of a famous Muskoka summer resort, and the near annihilation of that great Eastern Canadian port of Halifax show us very forcibly that as a nation we have not yet learned to be careful with fire. The fact that there was so small a loss of life in these conflagrations—one fatality in the Halifax explosions—was indeed providential. There could quite easily have been many more.

In spite of the efforts of fire prevention and fire protection officials throughout Canada, fire losses jumped from slightly more than 24½ million dollars in 1939 to over 40 million dollars in 1944. It is quite true that the values at risk in the latter year were far in excess of those in 1939 but it is also a fact that every effort was being put forth to conserve our resources for the war. In spite of those efforts, this country saw a mounting fire loss year after year. Now that hostilities have ended, let us hope that there will not be a repetition of events following the last great war when between 1919 and 1922 fire losses jumped from 25 millions to 54 millions in property damage alone.

There seems to be a general feeling that now that the war is over, something akin to a Utopia will be reached. We may not exactly attain that goal and we certainly will not if we permit life and property to be destroyed at the appalling rate which has been reached in recent years. It would seem that the world is waiting to make a fresh start in many phases of its existence. Fire Prevention Week this year offers an excellent opportunity to intensify our efforts in the prevention of fire in our homes, schools, places of business and factories. It only remains for us to keep in mind that we are going to be careful of fire from now on, remembering that fully 80% of our fires are due to carelessness and remembering also that it is our patriotic duty to prevent fires.

ing of much-needed houses.

—Brockville Recorder and Times.

DAIRY CATTLE EXPORT

The export of dairy cattle to United States, in large numbers, has demonstrated that the breeders in Ontario can spare good economical cows and heifers and at the same time improve their herds. Buyers are not having nearly as much difficulty as ten years ago in finding what they want. The trade has stimulated the production of more and better cattle.

—The Farmer's Advocate.

DAYLIGHT SAVING NOT A MUNICIPAL QUESTION

The question of adopting daylight saving time is being passed back by the Ottawa government to the mun-

icipalities, who, when they had this power before, made an unholly muddle of the time situation by not getting together and deciding on uniformity for all places. They'll likely do so again. Why doesn't Ottawa take action to ban daylight saving altogether or else fix uniform dates for its adoption in summer time and its discontinuance in the Autumn? That's the only way to avoid those mix-ups in time that we had before war time was ordered. The people should not be compelled to again put up with this sort of nuisance.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

LIBERTY OF THE SUBJECT

Commons Hansard
—Mr. J. G. Diefenbaker (Lake Con-

necticut).....I think it is time to re-

view the orders still in effect under

the War Measures Act under which boards are constituted. Under certain of these orders a board may bring a man before them, examine him under oath, deny him the right to have counsel, and then make the person so interrogated liable to criminal prosecution. One such case was reviewed by the Court of Appeal of British Columbia, and the court indicated it could do nothing about it, that the power was exercisable.

Similar powers are being exercised today under the Excise Act. A police officer who finds he is unable to secure evidence to convict has the power, with the license of the minister, to bring an individual before an Inspector of the Mounted Police, where he is interrogated under oath, without counsel and without protection, and on his statement there given, may be convicted.

Regulations and orders of this kind should be brought before a committee of Parliament so that we may once more assert that no controller, no board, no regulation passed beyond the pale of Parliament, shall control the rights and liberty of an individual in this country, while denying him recourse to the courts.

THE WEEKLY PAPER

Folks may prize the city dailies with their editorial views, With their boasted circulation and their telegraphic views. With parliamentary speeches and the same old party song. And their so-called brainy essays which are always dry and long. They may prize the great trade journals or the classic magazine, With its illustrated stories and the science in between. But the one I hail with gladness which I long so for to come. Is that little village weekly which they send me down from home. Tain't no twenty-page edition for it

Lighter Vein

"Aren't people funny?"

"Yes. If you tell a man there are 270,678,934,341 stars in the universe he'll believe you, but if a sign says 'Fresh Paint' that same man has to make a personal investigation."

During peak operations of the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, there were 73 flying schools and 24 RAF transferred schools in Canada. The plan's trained staff grew from 4,538 in 1940 to more than 140,000 by December, 1943.

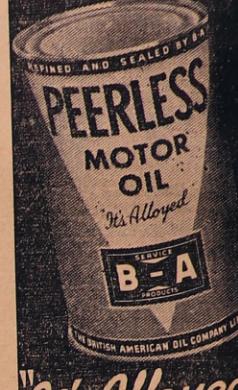
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Canada's ninth and biggest Victory Loan begins on October 22. It will be two loans in one, covering 12 months instead of six. Its objective will exceed the record goal of \$1,350,000,000 which was set and over-subscribed during the eighth loan.

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Canada has been invited to send 10 delegates to the World Youth Conference which opens in London, England, October 31. Youth organizations from all over Canada will select delegates representing Canadian youth in business, farm, labour, religious and racial groupings.

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*THIS VERY MINUTE, I will go and look. They won't be at my side, but their voice of thanks will be.

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PLANNING for TOMORROW'S FARMING

OUT OF THE WEALTH OF OUR SOILS

By: G. N. Ruhnke, F.G.I.C., Head of the department of Chemistry and Director of Soil Surveys, Ontario Agricultural College

(NOTE)—This is the second in a series of comments by well-known authorities, written expressly for the Weekly Press of Ontario.

Ontario farmers have done a splendid job of food production during these years, in spite of the shortages of labour and equipment which had to be met. They have shown a high degree of efficiency in the use of land and a note-worthy resourcefulness in adapting their farm operations to meet the changing wartime needs for the various agricultural products.

For the present, the demand for intensive production on our farms is still upon us. Food is still a weapon of war in the Pacific and, although the war in Europe is over, the great needs of the liberated countries there must be met until their own production can be made sufficient. How long this may be is not too certain, but one authority has estimated that the 1944 level of Canadian farm production will be required for at least the next two years. After the war is over, the changed position with respect to world supplies and world markets for farm products may necessitate profound adjustments in our agricultural program.

As a result of the experiences following the last war, farmers are looking ahead with more concern for the future. Among other things they recognize that greater efficiency in the use of land, labor and machinery will be necessary. A low cost of production will be an important factor in meeting post-war competition.

In general, the lowest cost of production is obtained with high yield levels and high yields can be maintained only on fertile and productive soils. Food is fabricated soil fertility. It is out of the wealth of our soils that we have produced the food to fight the war, and it is out of the wealth of our soils that we must continue to produce the food to win the peace.

It is timely then, in our post-war planning to ask ourselves what measures are we taking to insure that soil fertility on our farms is being maintained in the interest of efficient use of land, and a prosperous and enduring agriculture. During the past ten years, the total tonnage of fertilizers used in Ontario has approximately trebled, yet in spite of this, and the introduction of improved varieties of crops, improved drainage, and the wider use of more efficient tillage, seeding and harvesting machinery, the average yields of the common farm crops have failed to show a corresponding improvement.

It is true, however, that on many farms crop yields have been increased far above the average where good soil management is being practised. Thus we are forced to conclude that on a much larger proportion of our Ontario farms the yields are considerably lower than the average, and we are taking more out of the soil than is being put back.

There are other striking indications that point to the need for a vigorous program for soil improvement and soil conservation in Ontario. The increasing difficulty in growing alfalfa and clover, on soils which formerly produced them in abundance, is but another reflection of falling fertility in the soil. The depletion of the humus,

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or organic matter, in our intensively cultivated, heavy-textured soils has made them harder to work, more difficult to drain, and less productive. The lack of humus in our sandy soil is making them more subject to leaching of plant food in wet seasons and less retentive of moisture in dry seasons. The decline in fertility, the failure to balance adequately the soil-depleting (clean-cultivated) crops with soil-conserving (hay-pasture) crops in the rotation; the lack of manure; and inadequate use of the commercial fertilizers under intensive cropping have contributed also to our soil erosion problems. We do not need to look far to see unmistakable evidences of the need for a province-wide program for soil conservation.

During these times of higher farm incomes, far-sighted farmers are investing surplus earnings in Victory Bonds, to create reserve capital for postwar adjustments and farm improvements. Money invested in Victory Bonds now will insure ready funds for future financing of individual soil-building programs and will contribute greatly to the stability and security of the farming industry.

SIXTY PLOWING MATCHES PLANNED

Interest in plowing matches is indicated by the list of local matches to be held this fall, issued by J. A. Carroll, Director of the Agricultural and Horticultural Societies Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture. Mr. Carroll expects that some sixty plowing matches will be held this year in various parts of the Province, and the interest of local plowmen's associations is at a high level. At most of these matches, there will also be exhibitions and demonstrations of labour-saving farm machinery and new types of machinery which is being developed as a result of wartime experience.

Prize Winners Stirling Fall Fair

HORSES

Class 1—Heavy Draught

Brood Mare and Foal—1st, Wm. Chambers.

3 year old—1st, Wm. McComb.

2 year-old—Wm. McComb.

Foal, 1945—Wm. Chambers.

Pair Horses—Sawyer-Stoll Co.

Class 2—Agricultural

Colt, 3 year-old—Wm. McComb.

Colt, 2 yr-old—Wm. McComb.

Team—1st, Hastings County Home;

2nd, Earl Bush; 3rd, P. E. Bonisteel.

Class 3—General Purpose

Colt, 3 year-old—1st, V. Heath; 2nd, Owen Hendy.

Team—1st, Geo. Sutherland; 2nd, Owen Hendy; 3rd, Harold Johnston.

Class 4—Driving Horses

Colt, 3 years—L. J. Thackeray.

Team—A. Raycroft.

Specials

Brood Mare Classes 1 and 2—1st, Wm. Chambers.

Best 2-Year-Old—Wm. McComb.

Best 3-year-old Colt—V. Heath, Stirling.

Pony Hitched and Saddled—1st, Owen Hendy, Campbellford.

Best 1 Year-Old Colt—Wm. Chambers, Stirling.

Foal of 1945—Wm. Chambers, Stirling.

Lady or Gentleman Turnout—1st, A. Raycroft; 2nd, L. J. Thackeray.

Best Colt on Halter (Boy or Girl 15 or under)—1st, Wm. Chambers; 2nd, Wm. Chambers.

Lady Driver—A. Raycroft; 2nd, A. Raycroft.

Pair of Horses, Class 1 and 2—Sawyer & Stoll; Hastings Co. Home.

General Purpose Team—Geo. Sutherland.

2 Year-Old Colt—V. Heath.

Single Driver—A. Raycroft; 2nd, L. J. Thackeray; 3rd, A. Raycroft.

CLASS 5—AYRSHIRE

All prizes in this class taken by Elmer Wood, Crookston.

CLASS 7—JERSEYS

All prizes in this class won by Geo. Jarrel & Son, Cannifton.

SWINE—YORKSHIRES

Boar, aged—R. K. Garbutt.

Breeding Sow—1st, R. K. Garbutt; 2nd, C. U. Heath.

Sow, spring pig—1st, R. K. Garbutt; 2nd, C. U. Heath.

Boar, spring pig—1st, R. K. Garbutt, 2nd, R. E. Shortt; 3rd, C. U. Heath.

Sow and Litter—R. K. Garbutt, Class 10—Tamworths

Boar, aged—1st and 2nd—C. U. Heath.

Breeding Sow—1st and 2nd—C. U. Heath.

Sow, Spring pig—1st and 2nd, C. U. Heath.

Boar, spring pig—1st and 2nd, C. U. by Easton's—R. K. Garbutt, R. R. No. 4 Heath.

Sow and Litter—C. U. Heath.

Special

Bacon Pigs—1st and 2nd—C. U. Heath.

Special

Brood Sow and pigs—1st, C. U. Heath; 2nd, R. K. Garbutt.

SHEEP—Long Wool

Ram, 2 years or over—1st and 2nd, R. K. Garbutt.

Ram, Shearing—1st and 2nd, R. K. Garbutt.

Ram Lamb—1st and 2nd, R. K. Garbutt.

Ewe, 2 yrs. or over—R. K. Garbutt.

Ewe, shearling—1st and 2nd, R. K. Garbutt.

Ewe Lamb—1st and 2nd by R. K. Garbutt.

Short Wool

Ram, 2 years or over—1st and 2nd, C. U. Heath.

Ram, Shearing—1st and 2nd, C. U. Heath.

Ram, lamb—1st and 2nd, C. U. Heath.

Specials

Best Pen of 5 Ewe Lambs—Special

by Easton's—R. K. Garbutt, R. R. No. 4 Belleville.

POULTRY—Barred Rocks

Hen—Robt. Hoard

Cockerel—1st, Jimmy Wright; 2nd, Jimmy Wright; 3rd, Robt. Hoard.

Pullet—1st, Jimmy Wright; 2nd, Jimmy Wright; 3rd, Robt. Hoard.

Hampshire Reds

Hen—1st and 2nd, Wm. Chambers.

Cockerel—1st, Harold Elliott; 2nd, R. E. Shortt.

Pullet—1st, Harold Elliott; 2nd, R. E. Shortt.

Boys' and Girls' Class

Cockerel (Leghorn)—1st, Gladys Clarke; 2nd, Doug McGee.

Pullet (Leghorn)—1st, Doug McGee; 2nd, Gladys Clarke.

Ducks

Cockerel (Barred Rock)—1st, Robt. Paul; 2nd, Jimmy Wright; 3rd, Robt. Paul.

Pullet (Barred Rock)—1st, Robt. Paul; 2nd, Don Ellis; 3rd, Jimmy Wright.

Specials

Largest and best display of Poultry, Utility Classes (Swift's)—Robt. Paul.

Best Pair Utility White Leghorn—(Poultry Review)—Gladys Clarke.

Best Pair Utility Barred Rocks—(Poultry Review)—Jimmy Wright.

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Fall Wheat—1st, C. H. Ketcheson; 2nd, Mrs. A. Pyear.

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GARDEN AND ROOTS

Tomatoes—1st, F. W. Houchin; 2nd, C. H. Ketcheson; 3rd, W. H. Patterson.

Red Peppers—W. H. Patterson; C. H. Ketcheson.

Red Peppers, hot—C. H. Ketcheson.

Table Beets—1st, C. H. Ketcheson; 2nd, W. H. Patterson.

Table Carrots—C. H. Ketcheson; F. (Continued on Page 6)



For the Immediate Attention of FARMERS FISHERMEN GUIDES TOURIST OUTFITTERS who have been using MARKED GASOLINE

1. On and after October 1, 1945, gasoline will no longer be marked for special uses.
2. Marking of gasoline for special uses under the jurisdiction of the Oil Controller for Canada having been discontinued, the tax exemption purchase permit system is thereby ended.
3. Farmers, fishermen, guides and tourist outfitters will be entitled to claim refund of the Provincial Gasoline Tax where applicable. Claims, accompanied by receipted invoices, must be submitted to the Gasoline Tax Branch, Department of Highways, Parliament Buildings, Toronto within six months from date of payment of invoices.
4. A simplified method of assuring prompt payment of refunds, eliminating affidavits for each claim, has been worked out.

As there is no rationing of gasoline in Canada, marked gasoline, under the jurisdiction of the Oil Controller for Canada, has been eliminated, thereby ending the tax exemption purchase permit system.

To meet the desire of everyone to be relieved of wartime restrictions, the Provincial Government has developed

a new system as free from controls and difficulties as possible. A simplified refund form has been prepared which eliminates the necessity of an affidavit being taken for each refund claim. This form may be obtained on application to the Gasoline Tax Branch, Department of Highways, Toronto, Ontario.

- The ending of marked gasoline sale removes difficulties made necessary by this wartime control.
- Complaints were made that marked gasoline was detrimental to the equipment in which it was being used.
- Records and reports necessary under the marked gasoline system will no longer be required.
- Extra storage facilities will be unnecessary for the separate storage of graded and marked gasoline with consequent saving to the consumer.

GASOLINE TAX BRANCH

Department of Highways, Province of Ontario

GEO. H. DOUCETT
Minister of Highways

J. H. ROBINSON
Chief Inspector Gasoline Tax



St. Andrew's

Presbyterian Church

Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister

Sunday, October 7th, 1945

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.—Anniversary Services.
West Huntingdon Withdrawn.

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Rawdon Circuit

Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., B.D.

Minister

Sunday, October 7th, 1945

11.00 a.m.—Mount Pleasant.
2.30 p.m.—Wellmans.
7.00 p.m.—Bethel.

Communion Service at each appointment.

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St. Paul's United Church

Sunday, October 7th, 1945

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning service.
2.00 p.m.—Carmel Sunday School.
3.00 p.m.—Carmel Public Worship.

Rev. Sterling, Coborne

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, October 7th, 1945

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel ServiceSpeaker:
Mr. Donald Ephgrave, of Peterborough

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen have purchased the Wallace home on the Anson Line and will move there in February.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes, Mount Pleasant, Miss Annie Holmes, Madoc, spent the week-end with Major and Mrs. Clifford Holmes, Kingston. Little Marilyn Holmes returned to Kingston after a holiday with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Melburn, at Shannonville. Miss Doris Sine accompanied them on the trip and visited her sister, Mrs. Earl Rattan.

Mr. and Mrs. Orno Sharp and Ray, Mr. Mac Sharp, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy MacMullen, Cpl. and Mrs. Sid Demorest and Mr. David Sturgeon, were guests of Mrs. Clayton Stapley and Mrs. Minnie Sine at Carmel, on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Smith has been holidaying in Toronto with her sister, Mrs. A. Sweeting.

Mr. Roy Williams, Hoards, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams, and Miss Shirley Rowe, Campbellford, were married on Saturday, September 22nd, in Campbellford and will reside at Anson.

World Communion will be held at all three points on the Rawdon charge on October 7th, at Mt. Pleasant. The W.M.S., Mission Band, and Baby Band will gather their Autumn Thankoffering. Several folks are delighted that standard time is the order of the day.

Mount Pleasant Rawdon Sunbeam Mission Band held two meetings in September on the ninth and thirtieth.

Miss Betty McConnell played quiet music and Miss Eleanor Johnson gave the Call to Worship at both services.

At the first meeting, Miss Ruth Linn read the Bible Lesson, Miss Grace Dunham read the prayer. Mrs. Bert Jeffs outlined the worship Story on the Bible passage and synopsized the Study Story. Burton Wrightman gathered the offering which was \$8.

Miss Helen Hay, Belleville, spent the week-end at Mt. Pleasant with her parents.

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cents and 11 cents birthday money. At the Sunday Service of September 30th, Miss Marion Johnson read a poem; plans were made to assist with the Thankoffering service. Mary Robb gathered the offering which amounted to \$80. Mrs. B. Jeffs outlined the eighth chapter of the Study Book and all repeated the Mission Band Purpose.

FULLER

Mission Circle met at the home of Mr. Chester Adams on Thursday evening.

On Thursday evening a rousing charivari was tendered Mr. and Mrs. George Brough (nee Josephine Lester), who were married September 22, in Toronto.

Mrs. Frank Kellar is now recovering from having blood poison in her hand.

Mrs. Martha Mitts held a quilting in her home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Reid and family, also Mrs. John Reid who have spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irvine, have returned to their home in California. Mrs. Wilber Sherry, Thomasburg, accompanied them home.

The Ladies' Aid held their monthly quilting and dinner in the dining hall on Wednesday.

On Friday evening many friends and neighbours gathered in the dining hall to honor Mr. and Mrs. George Brough, who were recently married. Mr. Chas. Morland acted as chairman for the evening. Mrs. James Wilson read a very fitting address while Messrs. Charles Irvine and Walter Thompson presented George and Josephine with a lovely set of Peerless dishes (service for eight), and a beautiful wool blanket.

In a few well chosen words they thanked their many friends, "For they are jolly good fellows" was sung.

The evening was spent in community singing. Lunch was served.

CARMEL

On Sunday the church presented a pleasing appearance for the Anniversary Services. The exterior and interior have recently been redecorated and the altar was banked with a profusion of potted plants and cut flowers. The church was filled to capacity with members and visiting friends.

Capt. Rev. A. M. Laverty was in charge of the two services and preached inspiring messages. The choir under the direction of Mrs. Arthur Fyrear at the piano rendered two anthems and a trio in the morning, and in the evening, two anthems and a quartette with Messrs. Ed. Pyear, Harry Brown, Douglas Pyear and Charles Smith taking part. The Thankoffering for the day was over the required amount.

ALLAN MILLS

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McKeown attended the shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. Oddie in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Oddie.

The many friends of Mrs. Roy Brown are sorry to hear of her serious

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illness and wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. J. French is in hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McAdams spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Burkitt. Friends were sorry to hear that Mr. Stanley McInroy was taken to Hamilton Sanitarium for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward McInroy, the newly weds, were tendered a rousing charivari on Wednesday evening.

Flying Officer Russell Rowe and Mrs. Rowe and family are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McKeown.

West Huntington

Huntingdon residents had the pleasure of hearing a former minister, Rev. Sam Delve, on Sunday, at the Annual Anniversary Services of the White Lake United Church. Mr. Delve was the minister of Ivanhoe Circuit until joining the army as chaplain.

The services, both morning and evening were largely attended and excellent music was provided by the choir under the capable leadership of Mrs. Reg. Haggerty. An old fashioned tea meeting was held at same church on Friday evening when over 300 people enjoyed the supper provided by the ladies of the church.

Owing to the resignation of Rev. O. E. Wager, the official Board of Ivanhoe Pastoral Charge has extended an invitation to Rev. J. F. Emerson, of Springvale United Church, to become their pastor. Mr. Emerson is well-known throughout this district having had charge of churches at Queensboro and Plainfield. He will be assuming his new place in the near future.

Mr. William Bray is visiting with Dr. and Mrs. Vincent Moran, of Buffalo for a few days.

Rev. S. C. H. Atkinson of Rock Glen, Sask., was the guest of Mr. Kenneth Stewart for dinner on Tuesday.

Rev. O. E. Wager and family have taken up residence in Belleville.

Several from here attended Anniversary services in Holloway and White Lakes churches on Sunday.

Messrs. J. W. Grant and Fred Meyers of Trenton, were supper guests at the Parsonage, on Sunday evening.

Mr. Philip Carr, President of the Laymen's Association of the Belleville Presbytery conducted Services in West Huntingdon, Eggleton and Moira churches on Sunday, in the absence of Mr. Kenneth Stewart, who was conducting Anniversary Services in Westley United Church, Lakefield R.R. 1.

Messrs. Philip Carr and John McCurdy attended the Belleville Presbytery meeting held at Madoc, on Thursday.

Recent guests of Sarah and Arthur Wilson were Rev. Mr. Sterling and Mr. Hugh Grant, of Coborne, Mrs. Sandy McCurdy. The latter remained over for a brief visit.

Mrs. Peter McInroy, Mr. and Mrs. Allan McQuarry and Mrs. Dan McQuarry, of Lindsay, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McCurdy. The latter remained over for a brief visit.

Mrs. Melville Donnan, Doris and Bob were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sharpe, of Hoards.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Burke, were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brough, of Toronto, Mrs. Lottie Vandewater and James, of Moira.

Much sympathy is extended to Mr. Oscar Reynolds in the loss of a loving wife; also his house and contents on Friday. He is a brother of Mr. Percy Reynolds, formerly of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Mumby, of Springbrook, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fitchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dafoe, of Carmel, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Burke and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fitchett.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Mumby, of Springbrook, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Haggerty.

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STIRLING

Mrs. Peter McInroy, Mr. and Mrs. Allan McQuarry and Mrs. Dan McQuarry, of Lindsay, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sandy McCurdy. The latter remained over for a brief visit.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed power installations at the pulp mill owned by the Gair Co. Canada Ltd., Campbellford, at 2 a.m. Tuesday morning. A 1,000 horse power motor was completely destroyed and another one damaged. The switch-board was also destroyed. Officials of the company estimated that replacement and repairs would possibly take two months.

Canada will have a two-year interim force drawn from all three services prior to setting up a permanent army, navy and air force. Men enlisting will be signed up until September 31, 1947, and are being recruited on a voluntary basis from men still serving in the forces.

NOTICE

CRAWFORD COACH LINE

will operate SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6th, 1945, leaving Stirling 6:45 p.m., arrive Belleville 7:30 p.m., return from Belleville at 10:30 p.m. Sunday, leaving Stirling 8 p.m., arrive Belleville 8:45 p.m., returning from Belleville 9:15 p.m. This is a new weekend schedule and is subject to change.

3-2p

AUCTION SALE

Nine Fine Horses, including one span of extra choice chestnuts, Mare and Gelding, Belgians, weight 3100, 4 years; 1 span of fine brown mares, 5 years, 3000 lbs.; 36 Holstein, Jersey, and Guernsey Cattle; Case Tractor on rubber, model D; George White Threshing Machine, 28" new; Tractor and Horse drawn machinery—many pieces new; Milking machine, 2000 bushels grain; 75 tons hay.

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WELLMANS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey at Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Maybee left on Saturday for a week's visit with relatives in Canton, Ohio, U.S.A.

Mr. Lewis Pauley took dinner on Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thrasher and Teddy.

Mr. Alex Johnston spent a couple of days with his daughter, Mrs. Tom Mahoney, at Campbellford, and attended the funeral of Micheal Brennan on Wednesday morning.

Miss Fay Fleming, spent the weekend with Miss Jean Barlow at her home in Bonarlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Humphries, Maureen and Paul, of Hastings visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton.

Mrs. John McQuigge, Miss Essie McQuigge, Miss Violet Scott, Mrs. Herb Hoard and Mrs. Hattie L. Williams, of Havelock, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Graham, of Harwood, spent a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham and family.

Since the August meeting of the Wellman's Cemetery Committee, many contributions towards the caretaking

BIRTHS

COONEY — At Nicolson's Nursing Home, Stirling, on Tuesday, Oct. 2nd, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Cooney, Plainfield, a daughter.

DEATHS

ARTHURS—Suddenly in Stirling on Friday, September 28th, Mary Jane Smith, widow of Alexander M. Arthur, age 74 years. Interment St. James' Cemetery.

JUDD—At Belleville General Hospital on Tuesday, October 2nd, 1945, Robert Alexander Judd, age 83 years. Interment in Stirling Cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM

SCOTT—In loving memory of a dear mother and wife, Susan Margaret, wife of Wm. A. Scott, Stirling who departed this life, October 7th, 1940.

Loving and kind in all her ways, upright and just to the end of her days.

Sincere and kind in heart and mind. What a beautiful memory she left behind.

Sadly missed by husband and family.

3-1p

A large number of the prefabricated, barrack-type huts that sheltered United States Army soldiers and civilian workers during the building of the Alaska Highway will be used this winter to house 400 returned service men and their families in Edmonton. Each unit will have its own living room, a small dining room off the kitchen, bathroom, utility room and one or two bedrooms.

Spencer and Bateman—That committee pay of \$55.00 be paid. Cd.

Spencer and Bateman—That the council as a whole go into a committee on By-Laws.

By-Law No. 674 was passed appointing Arthur Wilson tax collector for the balance of year 1945 and 1946.

Morrison and Cook—That Council revert to general business.—Cd.

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Spencer and Morrison—That council adjourn to meet Monday, November 5th, at 10 o'clock.

W. J. Tanner, Reeve W. J. Barlow, Clerk

RAWDON COUNCIL

Rawdon Township Council met in the Town Hall, Harold, on October 1st, 1945, with all members present.

Minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved on motion of Morrison & Cook. Cd.

Bateman and Spencer—That Geo. Thompson be paid \$75.00 balance of his salary for the year. Cd.

Morrison and Cook—That Stirling News-Argus be paid \$5.85 for advertising. Cd.

Spencer and Cook—That Marmora Municipal Telephone System be paid \$27.90 for the year 1944. Cd.

Bateman and Morrison—That Road Voucher No. 9 for \$865.55 for August be paid. Cd.

Cook and Bateman—That Deputy Reeve be a committee to investigate fence built by Wm. Donald on 5th Concession, if satisfactory this will be paid at next meeting. Cd.

Spencer and Bateman—That the following sheep accounts be paid on completion of affidavit.

Elias Spy, \$8.00; Angus Bronson, \$40.00; Clare Tanner, \$35.00; John Fleming, \$128.00; Lindsay Cassidy, \$3.00; Rillian Herrington, \$30.00; also valuator fees—Lindsay Mumby, \$4.00; Chris Bateman, \$4.00; Albert Twiddy, \$6.00. Cd.

Morrison and Spencer—That Road Liability Insurance be given to Arthur Wilson for the coming year beginning Nov. 1st, 1945. Cd.

Bateman and Cook—The bounty for the Township of Rawdon for the killing of wolf was raised from \$25.00 to \$50.00. Bear bounty remain same, \$25.00. Cd.

Bateman and Spencer—That com-

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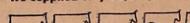
Lloyd Speers, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Speers, who live about three miles east of Roseneath in Alnwick township, was fatally wounded in a shooting accident just east of Brighton, Monday afternoon. The youth with two companions, Bill Dunbar and Harold Stone, both of Brighton township and about the same age as Speers, were preparing to set out into Lake Ontario to shoot ducks when the fatal accident occurred.

THE CHALLENGE
OF AN EMPTY PLATE*

* BEEF — 140,000,000 lbs.
still to be shipped.

The United Kingdom and liberated Europe rely on Canada 225,000,000 lbs. this year.

We supplied only 85,000,000 lbs. to August 31.



* PORK — 100,000,000 lbs.
still to be shipped.

The United Kingdom and liberated Europe rely on Canada 450,000,000 lbs. this year.

We supplied only 350,000,000 lbs. to August 31.



* CANNED MEAT — 70,000,000 lbs.
still to be shipped.

The United Kingdom and liberated Europe rely on Canada 114,000,000 lbs. this year.

We supplied only 44,000,000 lbs. to August 31.



In most liberated European countries, there is a desperate shortage of meat.

As a great food-producing nation, Canada must, can—and will—help to meet the emergency.

The job will not be finished at the year's end. Food scarcities in Europe will continue until the next harvest.

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This year, Europe is relying on Canada for a minimum of 789 million pounds of beef, pork and canned meat.

Up to the end of August, only 479 million pounds had been sent.

How soon can we bridge the gap?

Livestock marketings are normally at their heaviest in the last four months of the year.

If we are to help feed the hungry peoples of devastated Europe, this is the time to make our greatest effort.

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To do our part, we must reduce our own consumption of meat and also assure that everyone in Canada gets a fair share.

That is why rationing is necessary.

MEAT RATIONING ADDS TO EVERYONE'S WORK

The producer who slaughters, the retailer who sells, the consumer who buys and eats—they all play a vital part.

AS A CONSUMER, HERE IS HOW YOU CAN CO-OPERATE

1. Try to plan your meat purchases before leaving home by determining what cuts you intend to buy and their approximate weights.
2. Make sure you have enough valid coupons and tokens to cover your proposed purchases by referring to the Consumer Coupon Value Chart and the Coupon and Token Calculator. Copies may be obtained from your Local Ration Board or Ration Branch.
3. Know the dates your "M" coupons become valid.
4. Do not buy more meat than you really need.
5. Avoid shopping at rush hours.
6. Be patient. Remember—your butcher may have inexperienced help.

HELP YOUR BUTCHER TO SERVE YOU WELL

THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD



War is Over But—

"The war is over in one sense only," said in part Canada's Minister of Finance, Hon. J. L. Ilsley: "It is over in the sense that the shooting had stopped. But the consequences of war are still with us." Likewise, on the same day in Ottawa the Co-ordinator of Foods Administration of the War-time Prices and Trade Board, Kenneth W. Taylor, said in part: "The war isn't over for the hungry population of Europe. People there are still dying, not from bomb hits but from direct effects of the war, undernourishment, lack of fuel and clothing. And for them the war won't be over for several months." Both declarations were made in this capital in regard to the present food or rationing of food policy of the authorities on Parliament Hill.

Furthermore, considering that the scourge of starvation has driven nations as well as individuals to desperate actions, there is untold significance in the mere announcement given in this capital that the first conference of the United Nations Food and Agricultural Organization will be held in Canada on October 16th. This is the first new permanent body of one of the specialized new international agencies which will carry out the plans of the postwar period and its initial gathering on Canadian soil in the midst of the present great food crisis in the world as well as in this country will be watched closely.

Indeed, well-informed quarters on Parliament Hill believe that the importance of this gathering cannot be exaggerated at this time on account of the critical food situation. It is pointed out that in most parts of Europe food rations allow an average for probable action in Parliament at

consumption of about 1700 calories a day and this is definitely below the need for ordinary health standards. In Canada, the average civilian consumption is about 3,435 calories and those engaged in heavy work may use over 4000 calories. Therefore, Canada, it would seem from views on Parliament Hill, is honor bound for political and humanitarian reasons to do her proper share in relieving a dangerous situation, especially when it is remembered that other nations, such as Britain, have already lowered their already reduced food rations with the hope of contributing a measure of relief to the great food crisis in the world. There are shortages in fats, oils, sugar, meats, etc., though this report should not be interpreted as taking any sides in the dispute over meat rationing in itself in Canada at the moment. Under the conditions, in general, rationing of certain items of food or other things in Canada now is due not merely to efforts in curtailing consumption but to equalize distributing for a time. At least, this is learnt in Ottawa as part explanation. Likewise, these conditions may cause a continuation in Canada of certain wartime food boards to carry on as long as necessary in order to help in the procurement and distribution of food produced here so that there may be proper co-operation with similar bodies in other lands of international commodity councils on the basis of multilateral agreements, all aimed to feed the masses of the Allies as well as Canada's own population.

Important Innovations

In tune with Canada's rapid growth as a nation amongst the nations of the world, there is an exceptionally strong interest backstage in Ottawa in the proposals of creating a legal status to the word "Canadian", though in the past citizens of this country have always been designated as "British subjects". For some time now there have been reports in Ottawa about meetings of officials of various Departments, such as possibly Departments of the Secretary of State, Justice, Immigration, and External Affairs, with the purpose being to study all legal angles of such an important change in the midst of the present great food crisis in the world as well as in this country will be watched closely.

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this session as well as any change in the actual procedure of becoming a citizen of this country, these involving extremely delicate and technical legal questions. Then again, the subject of a distinctly Canadian flag has also been raised now, though the Red Ensign seems to have been used a great deal lately, having been flown steadily on the Peace Tower over the Parliament Buildings in Ottawa during the present session. On "V-E Day" and "V-J" Day this Red Ensign was also flown extensively. For the past two generations this question of a distinct Canadian flag has been argued again and again. In fact, it has been debated in the House of Commons in Ottawa, and when a committee had been formed to look into this question, there was so much disagreement that nothing ever came out of its discussions. However, it is a different story now and it is known in Ottawa that many legislators are anxious to provide a distinctive Canadian flag for this country as soon as possible.

Reason for 1948

In view of widespread curiosity why the year 1948 has been suggested as the time of attainment of proposals made at the Dominion-Provincial Conference for old age pensions of \$30.00 a month for all over 70 years of age in Canada, information in this capital has disclosed that most of the figures or statistics put before the Conference were founded on the year 1948 since it had been merely considered that in this particular year full conversion from war to peace would be affected. However, it has also been hinted that it would be quite possible that it can come into effect sooner or as soon as the Federal and Provincial Governments reach an agreement on these proposals.

Procedure for Advertising

Representatives of advertising agencies placing beer advertising in Canada have just had a meeting in Ottawa with the Deputy Minister of Customs and Excise, David Slim, as well as Arthur Merriam, who has had charge of the administration of PC 11374 which deals with the wartime alcoholic beverages order, with the result that a procedure has been decided for handling advertising from this source and five conclusions were reached at this gathering for facilitating such advertising in future.

Authority For Red Ensign

An Order-in-Council has been issued in Ottawa where authority has been given to fly the Canadian Red Ensign, used by the Canadian armed forces during World War II, over the Peace Tower of the House of Commons in this capital. Moreover, in this same Order-in-Council, it is pointed out that as far back as January 26, 1924, there had been an Order-in-Council granting such authority to fly this Canadian Red Ensign on all suitable occasions from all buildings owned or occupied by the Canadian Government.

Weekly Wind-up

It has been revealed by an expert in Ottawa that, while there had been a reduction in the number of accidents in 1944 in Canada, yet there were 360,000 casualties in this nation's industrial field involving \$39,800,000 for hospitalization, compensation, medical aid and pensions—Two reasons have been heard in this capital why Canadians will have to continue with their present short sugar supplies for a time. One reason is that normal sugar producing countries relieved from the enemy will not be in a position for between one and two years to produce regular sugar crops and another reason is that more sugar is now being sent to liberated countries than at any other time since 1939, though the people of these liberated

countries are on a minimum sugar rationing system—David Heaps, son of the former Labor M.P. from Winnipeg, A. A. Heaps, has become the secretary to the C.C.F. leader, M. J. Coldwell, with the youthful Heaps being a veteran of this war as well as winner of a military decoration.

Prize Winners

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W. Houchin; W. H. Patterson. Cucumbers, gherkins—C. H. Ketcheson. Cucumbers, pickling—C. H. Ketcheson. Cucumbers, slicing—1st, F. W. Houchin; 2nd, C. H. Ketcheson; 3rd, W. H. Patterson. Parsnips—1st, W. H. Patterson; 2nd, C. H. Ketcheson. Field Carrots—C. H. Ketcheson. Cauliflower—C. H. Ketcheson. Cabbage, red—C. H. Ketcheson. Cabbage, white—C. H. Ketcheson. Pie Pumpkins—1st, Wm. Fitchett; 2nd, C. H. Ketcheson; 3rd, W. H. Patterson. Muskmelons—C. H. Ketcheson; 2nd, F. W. Houchin. Watermelons, Citron, Hubbard Squash, green—C. H. Ketcheson. Swedish Turnip—F. W. Houchin. Collection of Vegetables—F. W. Houchin; Clarence Fitchett. Onions, red—C. H. Ketcheson. Onions, yellow—C. H. Ketcheson. Onions, white—C. H. Ketcheson; 2nd, W. H. Patterson. Potatoes, Cobblers, C. H. Ketcheson. Potatoes, Green Mountain—Geo. Belschaw. Potatoes, A.O.V.—1st, C. H. Ketcheson; Geo. Belschaw, W. H. Patterson. Field Pumpkin—C. H. Ketcheson. Field Squash, mammonth—C. H. Ketcheson.

Specials:

Bishop Special for Best Display of Vegetables—C. H. Ketcheson. McGee Special, Best Bushel Potatoes—W. H. Patterson.

CHEESE

Best White Cheese by Hastings Co. Producers—1st, Murray Heath; 2nd, Harold Elliott; 3rd, Lee McKeown; 4th, Tom Heath; 5th, Blake Johnson.

Best White Cheese Special by Evergreen, Central, Shamrock, Harold and W. Huntingdon Cheese Co.—1st, John Hall; 2nd, Kenneth Kingston; 3rd, Tom Heath; 4th, Tom Saries; 5th, Murray Heath.

Highest Scoring Cheese—1st, Murray Heath; 2nd Tom Heath.

DOMESTIC SCIENCE

Pint Raspberries—1st, Mrs. Ken Weaver.

Tea Biscuits—Mrs. Ken Weaver; 2nd, Gena Spry.

Bray Muffins—Mrs. Ken Weaver.

Cookies—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, Mrs. K. Weaver.

Oatmeal Cookies—Gena Spry.

Angel Cake—Mrs. K. Weaver.

Tarts—1st, Mrs. K. Weaver; Gena Spry.

Apple Pie—1st, Mrs. K. Weaver; 2nd, Gena Spry

Pumpkin Pie—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, Mrs. K. Weaver.

Chocolate Cake—Gena Spry.

Apple Pudding—Gena Spry.

Apple Sauce Cake—Gena Spry.

Meat Pie—1st, Gena Spry.

Maple Syrup—C. H. Ketcheson.

Eggs, brown—Mrs. K. Weaver.

Bottled Goods

Pint Plums—Mrs. K. Weaver.

Pint Peaches—Mrs. K. Weaver.

Pint Raspberry Jam—Gena Spry.

Pint Strawberry Jam—Gena Spry.

Pint Canned Beans—1st, Mrs. K. Weaver.

Pint Canned Corn—Gena Spry.

Pint Peas, canned—Mrs. K. Weaver.

Pint Tomato Chili Sauce—Gena Spry.

Relish for Cold Meat, uncooked—Gena Spry.

Cucumber Pickles—1st, Mrs. K. Weaver; 2nd, Gena Spry.

Tomato Juice—Gena Spry.

LADIES' WORK

Service Socks—Stirling Red Cross.

Boy's Sweater—Stirling Red Cross.

Girl's Sweater—Red Cross.

Socks or Stockings—Red Cross.

Man's Gloves—Red Cross.

Boy's or Girl's Coat—Red Cross.

Girl's Tunic Dress, with blouse—Red Cross.

Quilt—Red Cross.

Table Cloth, with napkin—1st, Mrs. G. R. Putnam; 2nd, Mrs. L. E. Bryant.

Pillow Case, monogrammed—1st, Mrs. L. E. Bryant; 2nd, Mrs. G. R. Putnam.

Sheet and Pillow Case, embroidered—1st, Mrs. L. E. Bryant; 2nd, Mrs. G. R. Putnam.

Huckaback Towel—1st, Mrs. G. R. Putnam; 2nd, Mrs. L. E. Bryant.

Bath Towels—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, Mrs. L. E. Bryant.

Handkerchiefs—1st, Gena Spry.

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MOLLY'S SON

BY HARRY M. MOORE

A Story of Harness Horse Racing in the Early
1900's
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CHAPTER XIV

Summer was on the wane when Benny Bannerman left the city hospital and returned to his home in Holmesville. The birds were lining the telephone wires preparatory to going south, and the night he came back the wild geese were honking.

In the meantime Molly's Son had been out in Horse McKenny's field behind the barn, as Pat Warren had told him in one of her letters.

For just as Doc Brisco surmised, the little stallion had suffered a break in the first phalanx of his right leg and, while in time he would be able to use his foot and leg, he would never be able to race.

There was a place for him in the stud, however, and that was one consolation to the youth. Standard bred entries of Molly's Son's class were indeed few and far between.

Benny took his great loss philosophically and dreamed of the day to be. That he would drive again, and keep on driving, was a certainty. "Digging in" was not a vicious habit of a race horse that had to be trained out of him. It was something that could and did happen to the best of them. He had seen it happen once or twice on the Holmesville Speedway and he had heard several explanations of the cause. The most logical in his mind was that the victim was so keyed up to win at the time that he came down on his toes, instead of flat footed, which act threw him off balance and made him go head over heels.

Whatever the cause, horses would dig in in a race. They would tumble and drivers would be hurt and bikes broken and there was nothing that could be done about it. Certain 'sure, he would keep on driving. Only an injury that could lay him up permanently would ever smother the fires of his ambition, his greatest zest for living.

If the injury to Molly's Son had been so serious that he would have had to be destroyed, it would not only have broken Benny's heart, but the hearts of T. B. Telfer and Bill Moran. Horse McKenny was less sentimental about the matter, for Horse had been in many spills. He had seen costlier accidents on the Grand Circuit than the one in Holmesville that late afternoon in July 1908. Benny had been lucky to come out of this one, however, with nothing worse than a broken leg and a slight concussion of the brain that left no serious after-effects.

The same day that Benny returned to Holmesville he limped slowly into the blacksmith shop. It was late in the afternoon just as work was slackening off for the blacksmith.

T. B. Telfer wiped his hands on his apron and came over and stood with a hand on the boy's shoulder. His

eyes had taken in the lad's limp and his cane, but other than that Benny appeared to be in perfect health.

"It's sure great to see you," T. B. said. "The old place has not been the same without you. I've been working day and night and I don't seem to ever get caught up..."

"I'll be back to help you real soon, Mr. Telfer," Benny said. "The doctor says this leg will not be causing me very much trouble from now on, if I don't overdo it."

"And I've your cheque for you," T. B. said. "The judges gave you first place and turned back the five per cent they usually collect from winners. I suppose you won't be driving any more and that you'll be staying on here to finish your trade?"

"Mr. Telfer," Benny said, "I've fully made up my mind. I'm going to finish my apprenticeship and I want to be as good a horse shoer as you. Of course I'll be driving again. Guess it's in the blood, but I promise you I won't be on my own for some time yet—maybe three or four years..."

"Got another colt in mind, eh?" the blacksmith chuckled, and Benny said, "Yes, I guess so. One can never tell. Have you seen Molly's Son since the accident?"

"I'm sorry to have to tell you I have not," said T. B. "But I hear he's doing quite well out on the farm. You may be sure he is in fine hands and if Dr. Kendall's spavin cure doesn't help him, Horse will be trying some of his own. He's the daarest man for mixing up stuff that I ever saw."

"Did Doc Brisco ever tell you what the colt broke?" Benny enquired. "I haven't seen Doc Brisco to get his story. Is it true the colt is through?"

"I guess it's all too true, Benny," T. B. replied, "but Doc has so many fancy words for what's wrong that I don't follow him. He broke something in the pastern, the coffin joint or something."

Several days passed as summer made way for fall. It was early evening. Benny Bannerman and Pat Warren were on their way to pay their respects to the king of the colts.

They passed up McKenny's lane, around the barn, and leaned on the stake and rider fence. Molly's Son was over by the far side of the field but when Benny eased up on a rail and said, "Hey there, sonny boy," the stallion raised his head and looked his way. Benny whistled.

It was only when Molly's Son limped his painful way across that narrow field that Benny fully realized how seriously he had been injured; that the race days of this beautiful beast, who might have joined the charmed circle of two minute performers had he not been dogged by bad luck ever before birth, were gone forever and forever.

"The poor darling," Pat breathed with tears in her eyes, "never to race again, and—and he just loved it."

"Yes," Benny added thickly, "a true son of a true mother, with a heart as stout as oak, and as true as true. But—Benny broke his and face lighted. "There may be another, a son of Molly's Son....as good, if not better."

"Yes," Pat agreed dreamily, "a son of Molly's Son, and he may indeed be good, but never better—but never better than his sire."

The shades of night were beginning to fall when Benny Bannerman and Pat Warren, hand in hand, left Molly's Son, head over the fence, watching longingly after them.

When they reached the lane and looked back, he was still standing there, his black-as-night figure merging into the darkness that was growing around him.

"And when we come of age—" Benny turned to Pat, "we're going to get married, and we'll have a home of our own, and we'll have one of those new motor cars and a horse van, and I'll be taking the son of Molly's Son to

foods, both are nourishing, both are "complete" protein foods and both are flavoursome menu additions. Fish (excepting the shellfish) are not as rich in iron as meat but this can be compensated by the addition of iron-rich vegetables—kale, spinach, or prunes, or raisins and cabbage salad, or by serving liver or kidney for dinner during the week. And here's a tip for the reducer's notebook. The caloric of meat is much higher than fish as meat is a "fatter" food.

Fish needn't be a "Just-on-Friday" dish. Frozen or canned, from river, lake or ocean, fish will be a favourite if it's artfully titillated. Piquant sauces or tart lemon juice, enhance bland fish flavours. Chopped parsley and stewed egg yolk are colourful decorations for pale fish platters.

Contrary to the cooking rules, this fish recipe takes a little longer cooking to prevent the cheese sauce from curdling. It's a dandy casserole idea for a one-dish meal.

Fish Fillets Florentine
3 pounds spinach, 1-4 cup butter or other mild flavoured fat, 1-2 teaspoons salt, 1-2 teaspoons pepper, 1-2 cups milk, 1-2 cups grated cheese, 2 pounds fish fillets.

Wash spinach in several waters and cook without adding water. When spinach is barely tender, drain and

chip coarsely. Place in baking dish. Melt fat and blend in flour and seasonings. Add milk and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Add cheese and continue heating until cheese has melted. Pour sauce over spinach, place fillets on top and bake in moderate oven (375 degrees F) for 30 minutes. Serves 6 to 8.

JUNIOR FARMERS
FIELD DAY PLAN
TO BE EXPANDED

Having made an outstanding success of two Junior Farmer Field Days held at Kemptville and Guelph in 1945, the Ontario Junior Farmer Association plans to broaden its activities in the field of sport and athletics in 1946. At an executive meeting held in Toronto this week, it was decided to hold four regional field days next summer, and there is a possibility that the winning softball teams and athletics in these regional meetings will come together for Provincial championship finals at some central point. The four regional meetings will be held at Kemptville, Presquile Park, Guelph and Ridgeway, and in addition to boys' and girls' softball tournaments, will include a program of track and field athletics.

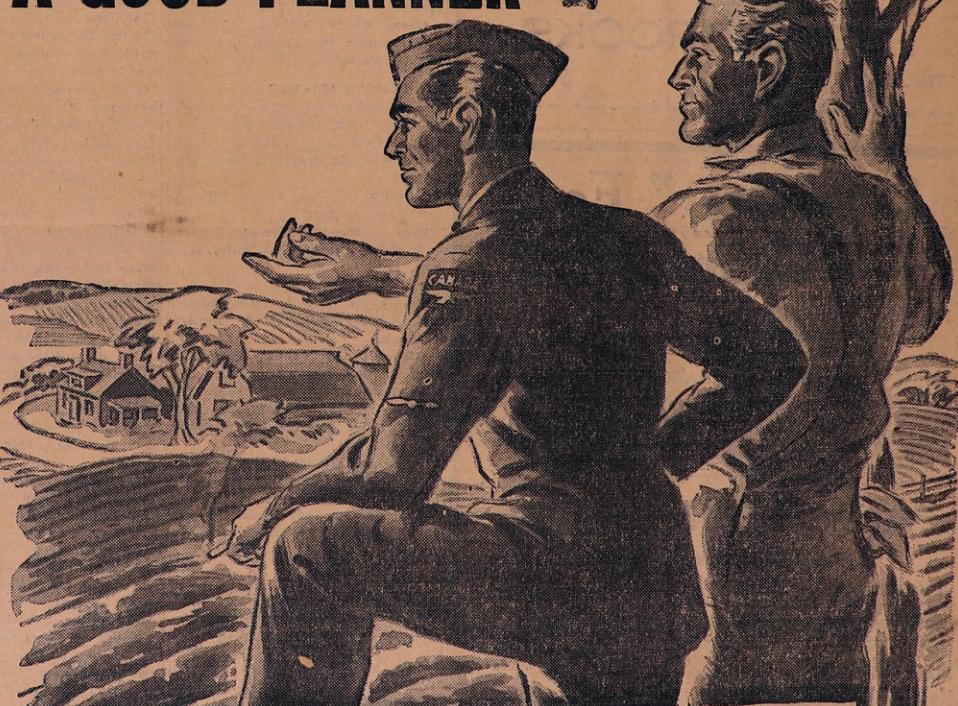
The Junior Farmer Association, in

planning next summer's activities, is planning to have an important part in arranging events for the Canadian National Exhibition when it is revived, probably in 1947. It is hoped that in that year regional sports and athletics meetings will be held at several points in Ontario, and the finals for the Provincial Championships being held at the Canadian National Exhibition as part of the programme for the Junior Farmer Day, if the co-operation of the C.N.E. management can be secured.

Canada's Department of Agriculture has been undergoing a barrage from Canadian soldiers stationed in the Netherlands and has had to call in army reinforcements to cope with it. The situation became drastic when the department had to examine more than 1,000,000 tulip bulbs sent by thoughtful soldiers to friends and relatives in Canada. Every one had to be inspected for disease and insects. Now the army is helping, and the tulip front has been restored to relative quiet.

Prior to Mutual Aid, the Canadian government provided the U.S.S.R. with a credit of \$10,000,000 in September 1942 for the purchase of Canadian wheat and flour. Total Mutual Aid to Russia amounted to \$120,914,000.

A GOOD FARMER IS A GOOD PLANNER



It's the man who looks ahead who gets ahead.

GOOD management . . . essential to successful farming, as to any business enterprise . . . is largely a matter of timely marketing and careful spending . . . waiting for the time when it is most favourable to buy.

We all want things now . . . things we have not been able to get for the past several years. Some of these things are necessities . . . some are things that will contribute to our comforts and pleasures.

Eventually, these things will be more plentiful. By waiting a little longer we will help to keep prices of things we need at lower levels and we will buy at better advantage when we do buy.

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Chesterfield Set, embroidered linen—1st, Mrs. L. E. Bryant; 2nd, Mrs. G. R. Putnam.

Chesterfield Set, knitted or crocheted—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, Mrs. A. Peary.

Sample Needlepoint—1st, Mrs. L. E. Bryant.

Layette—Gena Spry.

Pot Holder—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, Mrs. G. R. Putnam.

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Child's Carriage Cover—Mrs. G. R. Putnam.

Hearth Rug—Mrs. L. E. Bryant.

Rug Mat, braided—1st, Mrs. L. E. Bryant; 2nd, G. R. Putnam.

Braided Rug—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, L. E. Bryant.

Cardigan, knit—1st, Mrs. Ken Weaver; 2nd, Chas. Hoard.

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Bed Sox, knit or crocheted—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, Mrs. L. E. Bryant.

Bed Jacket, knit or crocheted—Gena Spry.

Sleeveless Sweater, v-neck—1st, Mrs. L. E. Bryant; 2nd, Gena Spry.

Pullover Sweater with long sleeves—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, Mrs. G. R. Putnam.

Cabbage—1st, Judy Johnstone; 2nd, Billie Consaul; 3rd, Douglas Wannamaker.

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Collection of Pansies—Gena Spry.
Collection of Gladioli—F. W. Houchin.
Collection of Snapdragons—1st, F. W. Houchin; 2nd, Gena Spry.
Collection of Larkspur—1st, F. W. Houchin; 2nd, Gena Spry.
Zinnias—Gena Spry.
Marigolds, African—Gena Spry.
Marigolds, French—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, F. W. Houchin.
Phlox—1st, F. W. Houchin; 2nd, Gena Spry.
Floral Bouquet for dining table—Gena Spry; 2nd, F. W. Houchin.
Basket Cut Flowers—1st, Gena Spry; 2nd, F. W. Houchin.
House plant—1st, Gena Spry.
Perennials—1st, F. W. Houchin; 2nd, Gena Spry.
Foliage, Coleus—1st, Gena Spry.

SCHOOL SECTION

Onions—1st, John Smith; 2nd, Isabella Fox; 3rd, Jimmie Faulkner.
Potatoes—1st, Douglas Wannamaker; 2nd, Tommy Wells; 3rd, Bobby Thompson.

Carrots—1st, Billy Elliott; 2nd, Ronald Strickland; 3rd, Shirley Elliott.
Pumpkins—1st, Glen Elliott; 2nd, Shirley Elliott; 3rd, Lois Irish.

Beets—1st, Nell Burgess; 2nd, Jimmie Faulkner; 3rd, Donna Myers.

Flowers—1st, Joan Green; 2nd, Grace Carleton; 3rd, Evelyn Lancaster.

Parsnips—1st, Shirley Elliott, West Huntingdon; 2nd, Billie Elliott; 3rd, Glen Elliott.

Tomatoes—1st, John Smith; 2nd, Bobby Chambers; 3rd, Jimmie Faulkner.

Manual Training

Wagon—1st, Donnie Myers; 2nd, Ross Mason; 3rd, Douglas Wannamaker.
Door Stop—1st, Ross Mason; 2nd, Roy Skillin; 3rd, Nell Burgess.

Nail Box—1st, Ross Mason; 2nd, Douglas Wannamaker; 3rd, Carl Jones.

The Rack—1st, Ross Mason; 2nd, Billie Consaul; 3rd, Douglas Wannamaker.

Open, Grade VIII—1st, Douglas Wannamaker; 2nd, Jimmie Faulkner; 3rd, Donnie Myers.

HOUSING SCIENCE

Pin Cushion—1st, Roberta Good; 2nd, June Irish; 3rd, Isabelle Fox.
Dress Cover—1st, Margaret McKee; 2nd, Beverly Ingram; 3rd, Lorna McConnell.

Laundry Bag—1st, Eleanor Wells; 2nd, Patsy Ayrhart.

Tray Cloth—1st, Eleanor Wells; 2nd, Helen Stinson; 3rd, Patsy Ayrhart.

Art

Grades VII—VIII—1st, Betty Rouse; 2nd, Wilma Phillips; 3rd, Marilyn Eggleton.

Grades V and VI—1st, Eva Ann Bastedo; 2nd, Agnes Chambers; 3rd, Joan Cranston.

Grades III—IV—1st, Eleanor Fox; 2nd, Carolyn Rollins; 3rd, Dorothy Runnalls.

Open—1st, Eleanor Wells; 2nd, Margaret McKee, 3rd, Marlene Armstrong.

Cabbage—1st, Judy Johnstone; 2nd, Billie Consaul; 3rd, Douglas Wannamaker.

Entered Into Rest

MRS. MARY JANE ARTHURS

Mrs. Mary Jane Arthurs, widow of Alexander M. Arthurs, died suddenly in Stirling on Saturday, Sept. 28th. She was seventy-four years of age and was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Smith. For some time she made her home with her niece, Mrs. John Ryan, 4th concession of Rawdon Township. She was a member of St. James the Minor Church in Stirling.

The funeral took place on Monday from the residence of W. J. Tuepah, North Street, to St. James' Church.

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for Requiem Mass at 10 a.m. Internment in St. James' Cemetery.

ROBERT A. JUDD

The death occurred early Tuesday in the Belleville General Hospital of Robert Alexander Judd, of Stirling, at the age of 83 years. His last illness was of six weeks' duration. He was born in Stirling, a son of William Judd and Agnes Parker Judd, and spent his entire life in this community where he was highly esteemed. Mr. Judd was never married.

He is mourned by a sister, Mrs. E. B. Fraleck, Belleville; and five nieces, Miss Jessie Judd, Toronto; Mrs. William Pelo, Victoria, B.C.; Mrs. H. L. Martin, of Victoria, B.C., and Miss Ethel Anderson, Toronto; Miss Helen Fraleck, Belleville; four nephews, C. C. Fraleck, Belleville and B. Anderson, Vancouver, B.C.; MacLean Anderson, San Francisco, Cal., and Arthur Anderson, Philadelphia, Penn.

Mr. Judd was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling.

The funeral took place from Duffin's Funeral Home, Stirling, at 2.30 p.m. this (Thursday) afternoon.

Interment in Stirling cemetery.

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Questions and ?
Answers

This column is sponsored by the Regional Office, Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Questions on price control, ration regulations and other Wartime Prices and Trade Board rulings should be mailed to the Information Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Victoria Building, Brockville.

Q. We plan on visiting the United States for two weeks. Do they allow Canadians to take food over? We plan to do our own cooking and had not intended bothering with ration cards over there.

A. There is a Board order which prohibits taking meat out of Canada without an export permit—regarding other items of food you may wish to take into the United States, we would advise you to contact the customs officer in your district.

Q. We are continually asked not to pay more than ceiling prices. At the same time people continue to sell at black market prices. Why are they allowed to do this?

A. No person is allowed to sell at prices above the ceiling set for the articles they are offering for sale. It takes two people to make a black market—both buyer and seller. If you are aware that black market prices are being charged at any particular place, you should report it at once to the nearest Board office. You may be sure that every complaint registered will be investigated thoroughly.

Q. How much sugar is used annually by brewing and distilling industries in Canada?

A. No sugar is used by the brewing and distilling industries in this country.

Q. I have to have special meat in my diet. Can I get more meat ration coupons for this year?

A. Yes, but you must have a doctor's or hospital's certificate which must state the amount of meat you will require for your special diet. This should be sent or taken to the nearest branch office of the Prices Board.

Q. We are being asked to retain labels and sales slips off any merchandise we purchase, in case there should be reason to complain about the high price or poor quality of the merchandise bought. How do I go about registering a complaint?

A. First you should do what you always have done—discuss any unsatisfactory merchandise with your retailer. If he feels it is in order, he will make an adjustment for you and take the matter up with his supplier. If, however, the retailer or his customer do not feel that they are satisfied with the results of the discussion they can give the facts to the local office of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board for a further check.

Q. Is it all right for me to tear off my meat coupons myself in the butcher shop, or should I leave this procedure to the butcher?

A. Ration regulations have always allowed a shopper to tear out her own coupons from her family's ration books just as long as she did it in the presence of the store clerk. It is against the law for a storekeeper to receive and for the shopper to hand in loose coupons which have not been torn from the ration book before the clerk.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SPRINGBROOK - BONARLAW BIBLE SOCIETY

Mr. Clayton Burkitt was elected president of the Springbrook-Bonarlaw branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society at its annual meeting, at St. Mark's Anglican Church, Bonarlaw, last Tuesday night. Other officers include Rev. R. M. Brownlie, Marmora, and Rev. J. R. Holden, Springbrook, vice-presidents; and Mrs. Wm. Barlow, Bonarlaw, secretary-treasurer.

Rev. F. B. Alnutt, of Toronto, district secretary, presented to the meeting some interesting motion pictures illustrating life in China, and the resourcefulness of her people in checking the Japanese invasion. China was fortunate he said in having two fine Christian leaders in the persons of Generalissimo and Madame Chiang Kai-shek. He saw in China a great opportunity for the circulation of the Scriptures.

Mrs. H. Mumby who has acted efficiently as the secretary of the local branch for several years reported that \$85 had been collected for the Society's work in 1944, and over \$60 this year. Mr. Holden, former president, thanked all those who had canvassed for the local branch. Appreciation for the heartening message given by the district secretary was voiced by Mr. Brownlie.

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"Dear Mrs. Blank," said the note, "Johnny is a bright boy but he spends all his time with the girls. I'm trying to think up some way to cure him."

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Boy Scout Apple Day - Saturday, October 13th - Buy An Apple

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Observes 89th Anniversary

Large Congregations In Attendance at Morning and Evening Services on Sunday

After several weeks of preparation the congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling, celebrated the 89th Anniversary of the founding of the church on Sunday last. Rev. W. A. Cameron, D.D., of Toronto, was the special speaker at the morning service and in the evening, Rev. Donald McKay, of Burnbrae, occupied the pulpit. Special music by the choir added greatly to the interesting and helpful messages brought by the visiting clergy.

Large congregations were present at both morning and evening services, and it was most gratifying to those in charge of the arrangements to have friends from all parts of the community join in the celebration of another milestone in the history of St. Andrew's. The church was artistically decorated for the occasion with flowers banking the pulpit. The collections for the day amounted to approximately eight hundred dollars.

At the morning service, Dr. Cameron chose as his text, "In All Things Give Thanks", and delivered an inspiring Thanksgiving message. Rev. McKay chose, "A Poor Prayer", as his subject for the evening service and used the parable of the prodigal son as the basis of his remarks.

Throughout the entire services of both morning and evening, Mrs. R. H. Williams, presided at the console of the organ and was accompanied by Miss Muriel Thompson, of West Huntingdon, at the piano.

At the morning service they rendered the three movements of "Concerto in F Major," by Jean Williams, as a prelude, at the offertory and as a recessional, while the first two movements and "The Harp of St. Cecilia", by Augustus Wiegand, were most effectively rendered during the evening service.

The musical contributions by the choir included a selection by several girls, "The Whispers of Jesus", and an anthem, "O Clap Your Hands" by the choir in the morning, and a duet, "Hark, Hark My Soul", by Mrs. Chas. Farkey and Mrs. Roy Eggleton, and an anthem, "Father Lead Us" by the choir, in the evening.

Pick Raspberries

Although the fall season is nearly a month old district residents are still picking wild raspberries. Last week Margaret Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Spencer, picked a cupful of luscious berries near her home on the 10th concession of Rawdon, and on Tuesday, Thos. W. Solmes exhibited a sprig from a raspberry bush, on which were several large ripe berries, picked near his cottage at Oak Lake.

Buys Property

A real estate deal of interest was completed Saturday when Edward Gorman, sales manager at the Trudeau Motor Sales, purchased the property of the late Thos. Cranston Estate on East Front Street. Mr. Gorman and his family have been occupying the property for the past month.

Home From Overseas

Set. J. A. Thompson, of Stirling, son of Mrs. J. A. Thompson, and Pte. C. H. Dunkley, of Hoards Station, arrived home on Monday, having reached Canada aboard the HMCS Kootenay, which arrived at Halifax, on Friday.

Residents Move

A number of residents have changed their place of residence during the past week. Mrs. Jas. Currie and Miss Mac Currie have moved to their new home at Oak Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Hazeldine West have occupied the Currie property, which they purchased recently. Mrs. Geo. Megginson has moved from the west half of Mrs. W. Martin's residence to the property she recently purchased from Mr. and Mrs. H. West, and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Fair have taken up residence in the premises, vacated by Mrs. Megginson. Mr. and Mrs. W. Graver have taken up residence in part of Thos. W. Solmes property.

Miss Beryl Linnen spent the weekend at her home in Renfrew.

Results of Hastings County Junior Farmer Club Projects Announced

Rawdon and Madoc Calf Clubs and Marmora Swine Club Achievement Days

H. L. Fair, Agricultural Representative, has announced the results of the Hastings County Junior Farmer Club Achievement Days held recently.

The Achievement Day for the Rawdon Calf Club was held at the Stirling Fair on Sept. 25th. Fourteen boys brought out their calves and completed the project. Mr. A. D. Runions O.A.C., Guelph, was the judge and the standing of the club members was as follows:

1st, Bud Heath, Campbellford, No. 1, 840 points; 2nd, Bob Merrick, Stirling, 838; 3rd, Harvey Homan, Coryville, 828; 4th, Delbert McComb, Bonarlaw, 812; 5th, Donald Spencer, Stirling, 793; 6th, Morris Morrison, Stirling, 783; 7th, John McComb, Bonarlaw, 740; 8th, Gerald Morrison, Stirling, 723; 9th, Ronald Donnan, Stirling, 687; 10th, Douglas Donnan, Stirling, 672; 11th, Allan Bailey, Stirling, 639; 12th, Jimmy Gay, Stirling, 612; 13th, Jack Spencer, Campbellford No. 2, 572; 14th, Bob Spencer, Campbellford No. 2, 555.

The Madoc Calf Club Achievement Day was held at the Madoc Fair on October 3rd, with 8 boys bringing out their calves and completing the project. Mr. W. A. Hume, Campbellford, acted as judge. The standing of the club members was as follows:

1st, Harold Carmen, Marmora, 1684 points; 2nd, Gerald Fox, Marmora, 1663; 3rd, Paul Maloney, Marmora, 1657; 4th, Borden Bell, Marmora, 1650; 5th, Leo Bedore, Marmora, 1620; 7th, Keith McCoy, Marmora, 950; 8th, Bob Sheridan, Marmora, 885.

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1st, Donald Burns, Madoc, 917; 2nd, Lorne Irwin, Cooper, 872; 3rd, Bill Brady, Madoc No. 2, 830; 4th,

Rebekah Lodge Officers Installed

Sis. Mildred Morrow, D.D. President, and Staff Officers — Presentation Made

The installation of the officers of Laurel Rebekah Lodge, No. 211 was held in the lodge room on Tuesday evening with a large number of members present.

Sister Mildred Morrow, D.D., President, of Belleville District, No. 30, conducted the installation and was assisted by D.M., Sis. Duffin; D. Warden Sis. E. Bailey; D. Rec. Sec'y. E. Hick; D. F. Sect'y. Sister G. Elliott; D. Treas. Sister E. Utman; D. Chaplain Sister M. Megginson; D. I. G. Sister R. Wilson; D.O.G., Sister G. Vandervoort; Musician, Sister L. Shortt; Solsol, Sis. H. Heagie, and a guard of honour, comprising Sister I. Good; Sister M. Heath, Sister E. Fox, Sister E. Finkle, Sister F. Maynes and Sister E. Shortt.

Officers installed were as follows:

J.P.N.G. Sister L. McKee
N.G. Sis. A. Warren
V.G. Sister E. Bradshaw
Rec. Sect'y. Sister G. Elliott
F. Sect'y. Sister G. Spyre
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Warden Sister M. Heath
Conductor Sister M. Bell
I.G. Sister L. Eastwood
O.G. Sister K. Jones

Presentation

During the evening Sister Morrow, D.D. President, was presented with a gift by the Installation Team and Guard of Honour, the accompanying address being read by Sister Effie Bailey and the presentation made by Sister Evelyn Bailey.

Sis. Mildred Morrow, D.D. president in her address stressed the work of the district for the coming year and urged the officers and members to be loyal to their lodge.

At the conclusion of the ceremony a dainty lunch was served, followed by a social hour.

Wm. Prest

The death of William Preston, of Holloway, occurred in Belleville Hospital this (Thursday) morning, following a short illness. He leaves to mourn three brothers, Leonard, John and Charles Prest; and two sisters, Misses Nellie and Mary Prest, all of Holloway. Funeral arrangements had not been completed at time of going to press.

To Speak In Interests of Hog Producers

In the interests of combining hog producers associations across the province into one organized body, Mr. W. E. Tunmon, Foxboro, secretary treasurer of the Ontario Hog Producers Association, will speak over station CBL at eight-thirty, Monday evening, October 16th, it has been announced through the Hastings County Federation of Agriculture.

Support of the County Federation of Agriculture bodies throughout the province is being given toward forming a strong provincial hog producers association and working toward this end a series of 52 public meetings will be held across the province during the week of November 12th. During the meeting a vote of hog producers will be taken regarding their feeling toward the provincial organizations. It is expected that a hog producers association would be of greater numerical strength than the Ontario Cheese Producers' Association which has done so much for the cheese industry in Ontario.

Mr. Tunmon will speak Monday evening on the advantages to the farmer of a strong hog producers' association in the province.

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TO SAVE WAR SUFFERERS

• This is a good time for every Canadian to take inventory of his attic, basement, and clothes closet. What can you spare that some war-ravaged people can wear? Clean out your clothes closet. Rummage around your attic. And how about that old trunk in the basement? You need the space, they need your spare clothing. Give it now to the National Clothing Collection.

The local Chapter of the I.O.D.E. made a canvas yesterday in the Village and report a good response, but there are still those who have something to contribute to this urgent appeal. So bundle up those discarded garments and leave them at the local Agricultural Office before October 20. **WHAT CAN YOU SPARE THAT THEY CAN WEAR?**

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CHURCH ANNIVERSARIES

• In recent weeks several of the churches of the district have been holding their Anniversary services and several more are scheduled for the future. In the rural sections these are events of great importance. In some respects they are like old boys' and girls' reunions. Not only do the people of the immediate vicinity attend, but former residents of the district come back home to attend the big event in their home church's year, the anniversary.

There is something encouraging about the interest taken in these events. When people will travel many miles to return to the church of their childhood days, at least once a year, it shows that the lessons they have learned in the old buildings many years ago have not been forgotten, that the religious teachings of those days have taken deep root in their hearts and minds.

Then, of course, there is the sociability and all-round good fellowship at the chicken suppers which accompany the anniversary in some instances. Some people preach the doctrine that such suppers are put on for the sole purpose of furnishing the churches with the required finances, and that if true religion were practised they would not be needed. With such an argument we have no particular fault to find, but these suppers do a great deal to promote harmony and good-fellowship in the congregation and community.

THEY DIDN'T HAVE TO DIE

• "They Didn't Have to Die." That is the name of a new film recently made for the Dominion Fire Prevention Association. It depicts the manner in which hundreds of Canadian citizens annually become needless victims of that great destroyer, Fire.

No, they didn't have to die in that manner but through carelessness and wanton neglect, the lives of 307 men, women and children

What Others Say!

STEPPING ON IT!

We had all but forgotten that "let's-go-places-and-do-things" feeling that comes from stepping on the accelerator, and having the engine respond with never a "hiss" in its horsepower. In fact, we had almost come to call it mule power, so delayed has been its reaction during these war years. "Stubborn," we said, "just because it can't have all the gasoline it wants." But it appears the poor thing was undernourished all the while—not enough octane content.

Now that it is getting back on its pre-war plus diet—plus a higher octane rating—it responds eagerly to the touch of a toe. For the present, judging from the average age of most of our gasoline buggies it had better be a timid toe or the worn shoes won't be able to take it. But when new tires and new gasoline team up, watch our post-war dust!

—Christian Science Monitor.

Sweet Uses of Adversity

The gas and tire rationing made us get chummier and share rides. The swapping of rationed commodities such as butter and sugar revived the good neighbor spirit. And then the dearth of reliable help which one

in this Canada of ours were snuffed out by fire in 1944. Records compiled by the Dominion Fire Commissioner show that 23 small children lost their lives when left alone by their parents. Another 20 of the 118 children to die by fire last year were burned to death by fire originating in furnaces, stoves and heaters. A total of 76 people died as the result of fires in flammable liquids such as gasoline, kerosene, paint removers, etc. The largest loss of life occurred in dwellings, 110 in rural buildings and 114 in urban dwellings.

When will this needless sacrifice stop? Only when people become more careful in the handling of things that cause fires and when parents wake up to the fact that they have an unceasing responsibility to protect their defenseless little ones against the ravages of fire. Recent press reports contain such statements as the following. "It is believed the fire started when Miss W. tried to light the stove with gasoline, thinking it was coal oil;" and another, "a regrettable accident occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. when their son mistook gasoline for coal oil and attempted to light a fire with it." Why people persist in the use of coal oil—and sometimes gasoline—in the starting of fires, in the light of all the publicity which has been given this dangerous practice, is a question not easily answered. It is probably the old story of the "line of least resistance." It has been truly said that "fire is no great respecter of persons." It strikes at the high as well as the low when we let our guards down. Those guards consist of eternal vigilance and an application of common sense applied to fire prevention.

Canada earned undying glory in her prosecution of the war. Let not her good record be tarnished in the glorious days of peace to come by continuing to offer human sacrifices to the demon, Fire. Let our motto be, "ALWAYS BE CAREFUL OF FIRE."

— V —

SOUND AT HEART

• The other day an observer in England remarked, "The British came out of the war tired, cross and impoverished."

He was referring to the people of the British Isles.

If he were doing his observing here he might use a current wise crack and say, "The Canadians came out of the war tired, cross, period."

Such an observation might be justified. Located far from the scenes of battle, Canadian homes, factories, public services, remained intact throughout the war. Thus this country was able to satisfy the demands of a war-hungry machine. And in so doing, Canadian citizens earned money on a scale never equalled here before. Right now, in addition to holding several billion dollars worth of Victory Bonds, Canadian citizens have a total in savings banks accounts which is the highest in the history of Canada.

A critic might label us "cross and tired". But if he really knew us, he would not describe us as ungrateful or selfish.

Confirmation of our true national spirit will be forthcoming in the Ninth Victory Loan campaign. To provide for the civil re-establishment of our men who fought and to provide at least a little of the goods which impoverished people across the Atlantic must have to survive, our people will buy bonds as enthusiastically in the Ninth campaign as they did in the previous eight Victory Loan campaigns.

— V —

• Less speed and more caution is, as always a sound slogan for the motorist, says the Ottawa Journal.

— V —

• Thanksgiving passed off quietly in the Village and is the last holiday before Christmas, which is around just a couple of corners.

COMMENCE WORK ON NEW BRIDGE

W. Noonan, division highway engineer, Kingston, announced last week that work has already commenced on the construction of a new bridge at Plainfield to replace O'Brien's Bridge which crumbled into the Moira River late last Spring when struck by a heavy truck.—Tweed News.

HORSE STALLS BURN AT BELLEVILLE FAIR GROUNDS

Heavy damage, as yet unestimated, was caused in the Belleville Agricultural Society Exhibition Grounds Monday, when fire of unknown origin swept through approximately one-quarter mile of horse and cattle sheds.

Fifty closed-in stalls used for trotting horses were destroyed by the flames as were several cattle sheds. The fire was checked by the Brockville Fire Department, hampered by muddy terrain, before it could ignite another block of cattle stables.

A small quantity of baled hay was destroyed in the blaze. The stalls contained dry straw, an aftermath of the recent Belleville Fair, and city officials stated today that several small boys had been seen in the neighborhood. It is possible, they said, the youngsters had been smoking in one of the stalls.

Parks Commission secretary, O. Pinkston, said today that the loss was covered by insurance.

THORNBURY DEFEATS BATAWA

Thornbury won the Ontario Intermediate "B" baseball championship, 1-0, after Franky (Smoky) Smith and Lefty Jack Garton had hooked up in their third brilliant pitching duel of the series. Thornbury won the first game in 12 innings, 3-2, and Batawa won the second tilt, a 13-inning affair, 5-0.

The two southpaws, claimed to be the best in intermediate circles, stole the limelight with their fine pitching. They struck out 104 men between them in the 34-innings series, with only two walks being issued.

In the third and last game Smoky struck out 21 batters and walked one. Garton whiffed nine and walked one. Each allowed four hits. Not an outfield fly was hit in the pastime. The game was won with an unearned

run in the first innings. Aquino, Smith's timely single sent him home. Batawa, catcher, muffed a third strike, then threw the ball to right field, Thornbury 100 000 000-1 4 2 with Cesar, Thornbury centrefielder, Batawa 000 000 000-0 4 5 going to second on the error. Gold- Smith and Gaines; Garton and

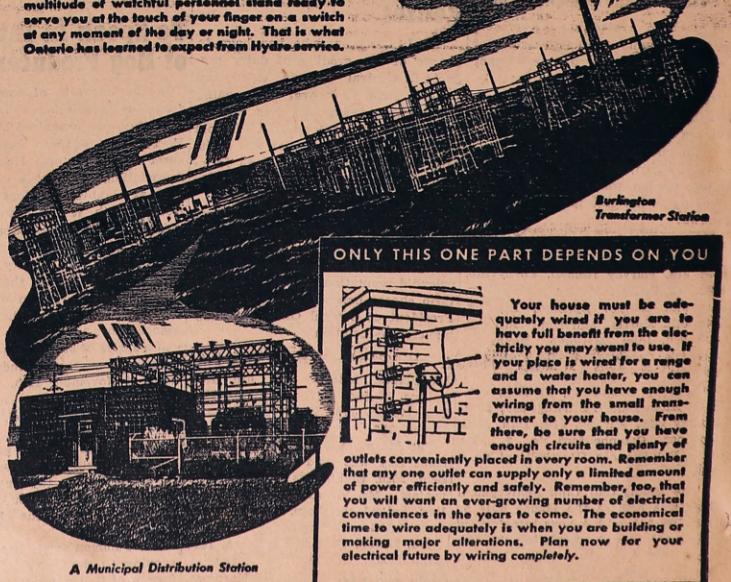
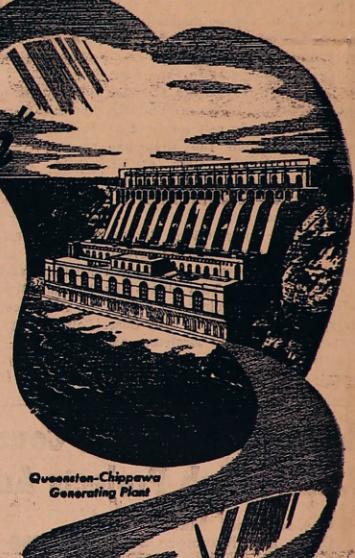
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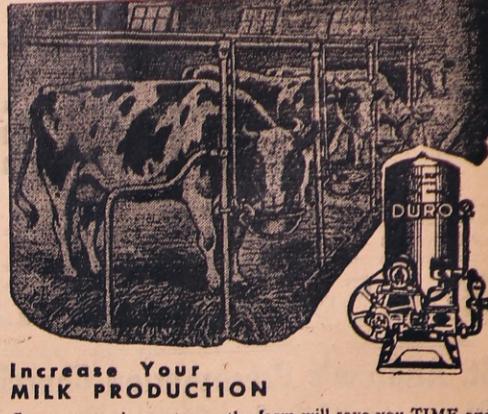
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PLANNING for TOMORROW'S FARMING

PRODUCTIVE PASTURES

By John D. MacLeod, Director, Crops, Weeds and Seed Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto

(NOTE—This is the third in a series of comments, written expressly for the Weekly Press of Ontario)

The progressive livestock farmer is always concerned with the problem of lowering the cost of producing livestock and livestock products without sacrificing quality. This can be accomplished by improving pasture which is our cheapest feed crop.

In addition to producing digestible nutrients at lower cost than any other crop on the farm, a well-managed pasture has the following advantages—it maintains livestock for five or six months of the year at low feed and labor cost; milk and beef are produced 50 to 75 per cent cheaper on pasture than under winter feeding conditions; pasture is digested 83% hay only 52%; pasture is our cheapest source of protein—16 to 25%, which is about twice as much as that in the same grain cut for hay; no loss of food nutrients from curing, which in hay amounts to 40 to 50%; high in essential minerals which are easily assimilated from grass in the young stage, and in essential vitamins needed for efficient production and reproduction; pasture sod prevents soil erosion, adds fibre and organic matter and improves the soil structures.

Type of farming, soil and climatic conditions and length of time the field is to be left in sod are factors which must be considered when planning pasture crops to be sown. Where possible the mixture should contain some deep-rooted legumes which help to maintain soil fertility and drought-resistant grasses which will provide grazing during the dry summer period. A well-balanced mixture is recommended for the following reasons—grasses and clovers vary widely in their ability to withstand soil and climatic conditions, therefore when only one species is sown the results may be good or bad. Moreover, each species has its peak production period, and produces little in "off" seasons. By sowing a suitable mixture a thicker stand is obtained, and this naturally results in a heavier yield and more uniform grazing throughout the growing season. Cattle always prefer a mixture and thrive better on it than when grazing upon either grass or clover alone. The variety of herbage provided increases both palatability and nutrient value. There is less tendency for cattle to bloat, a condition which frequently occurs when they are grazed on legumes alone, than when grasses are included in the mixture with clovers.

Pasture crops may be divided into four groups—annual or supplementary pastures, one to two years; short term hay-pastures, two to four years; long term pastures, four to ten years; permanent or unworkable pastures which will remain in sod for an indefinite period. Rye, oats and sweet clover, and Sudan grass have proved best for annual or supplementary pasture. Sudan grass sown alone or in combination with clovers have proved best for early good during that hot, dry period in July and August when other pasture crops are not so productive.

In planning a hay-pasture mixture, it is recommended that a few pounds of such seeds as Orchard grass and Parkland Brome be included, in order to add leafiness and feeding value to the hay crop and to make a thicker bottom for pasture. When planning a long-term pasture, it is advisable to sow only grasses and clovers which are persistent and remain productive over a period of years. Much heavier rates of seeding are also advisable in order to produce and maintain a thick stand.

It is essential that the seed bed be in a high state of fertility, well drained, reasonably free from weeds and well prepared. A fine, firm seed bed will permit shallow seeding, maintain moisture and enable young seedlings to establish a firm root. Only adapted seed of good quality, high germination and free from noxious weeds should be sown.

The seed should be thoroughly mixed before seeding and should not be sown more than one-quarter to one-half inch deep on heavy soils and one-half to one inch deep on lighter soils. The most common and usually most convenient practice is to seed the mixture in the spring with a nurse crop, preferably of early oats and not too heavy.

To produce and maintain a good pasture requires a higher level of soil fertility than for most other crops. Moisture permitting, pastures grow

QUALITY CHEESE FROM COLD MILK

The discovery that vigorous agitation of warm cheese milk would induce the development of rancid and unclean flavour defects in cheddar cheese was reported recently by the Division of Bacteriology and Dairy Research, Science Service, Dominion Department of Agriculture. This research work has been extended to an investigation of various types of agitation such as might be encountered in the commercial handling of milk. In general, all types of agitation of warm cheese milk were found to be detrimental to cheese quality. As the temperature at which milk is agitated the flavour defects decrease in intensity; in other words, cheese of higher quality was obtained. In addition to scientific considerations, this research work is another reason for cooling cheese milk for the production of high quality cheddar cheese.

WEAK BEE COLONIES

Where the beekeeper has a few colonies too weak for successful wintering and headed by young queens that he does not wish to destroy, the following plan of wintering has proved successful, says C. B. Gooderham, Dominion Apiculturist. Around the end of September, remove five of the lightest

combs from each of the weak colonies and push the other five frames to one side of the hive, thus forcing the bees to cluster on these combs. Two days later, place a tight-fitting division board in the centre of half the hives and bring the combs and the bees from the other hives and place them on the opposite side of the division boards. Thus in each hive, there will be two weak colonies. Provision must be made for a double entrance. The main advantage of this method is to have a number of spare queens to replace any that may be failing or are lost.

50,000 MORE MEN WANTED IN WOODS

Owing to the extra demands for forest products, special emphasis has been placed on the appeal of the Minister of Labour for 50,000 additional men to reinforce those now engaged in operations in the woods. Every man on the farms who can be spared after the harvest has been finished is required, and men in the cities are to be canvassed. This year the woods operations are of more national and international importance than ever. With an adequate force of workers in the woods all over Canada, home building in the Dominion will be helped next year to a large extent by the

cut of sawlogs in the woods during the coming winter.

The pulp and paper industry, which fulfills the very important function of producing paper for Canada's great export trade and also for home consumption, will require a heavy cut of pulpwood, while the reconstruction of Britain and Continental Europe will call for huge quantities of lumber and Canada is expected to meet a large part of these demands.

Several of the staff from the British War Office touring Canada with Mulberry the model of the floating

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
Sunday, October 14th, 1945
11.00 a.m.—Sunday School and Morning Worship.
3.00 p.m.—West Huntington.

Rawdon Circuit
Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., B.D.
Minister
Sunday, October 14th, 1945
2.30 p.m.—Mt. Pleasant.
Services at Bethel and Wellmans Withdrawn.

St. Paul's United Church
Sunday, October 14th, 1945
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning service.
2.00 p.m.—Carmel Sunday School.
3.00 p.m.—Carmel Public Worship.
Rev. Sterling, Coborne

GRACE CHAPEL

Sunday, October 14th, 1945
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
Speaker:
Mr. A. R. McConkey of St. Thomas, Ont.

sion Band members contributed a chorus. Mrs. T. F. Townsend and Mrs. Marguerite McMullen sang a duet.

The offering was gathered by Edith Jeffs, Margaret Phillips and Marguerite McMullen and was thirty-five dollars for W.M.S., six dollars and ninety cents for Mission Band and two dollars and twenty-eight cents for baby band. A lovely potted plant and a basket of gladioli adorned the piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jeffs attended Warkworth Fair.

Mrs. Ed. Oke and Miss Laura Thompson, of Lindsay, were Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Weaver.

Ten ladies gathered last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Frank Jeffs and finished up a couple of quilts.

The Public School pupils and teachers enjoyed a holiday last Thursday when the Prince Edward and Hastings Reg't arrived at Belleville.

A large number of folks journeyed to Madoc Fair despite the chilly weather and report a good crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Bailey and Barbara, Toronto, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bailey.

The Township grader spent Tuesday afternoon working on the fourth concession from the highway west. The road sure needed a little attention as the snowbanks last winter cut it up and it has been in very poor condition all summer.

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ONTARIO

Quarterly official Board convened Monday evening in Wellman's United church with a good representation from the circuit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard recently attended Hoard's Anniversary and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, Belleville, on Sunday.

Mrs. Isobel Allison recently visited friends at Consecon and attended Picton Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Spencer and Ray attended the wedding of Mr. Thomas Wallace and Miss Isabella Irwin, in Zion church, at Petherick's Corners, on Saturday, October 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sharp recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Linn and Ruth.

West Huntington

Huntingdon citizens observed the Thanksgiving Holiday over the weekend. The churches in the district heard special messages on Thanksgiving on Sunday and on Monday, the rain assisted in giving some a holiday.

Reverting back to old time did not make any difference to the usual farmers routine of farm work, for they generally have to work from daylight until dark. Eight hour day has always been observed — eight in the forenoon and eight in the afternoon.

The one sure thing about farming is that there is nothing sure about it, and although many organizations are staging strikes, the farmers here, instead of sulking and complaining have in this most perplexing year, worked harder than ever, and are most grateful that we are as fortunate as we are.

V. P. V.

The Young People's Union met at the parsonage on Friday evening with the President, Russell Sills, presiding. Arthur Hassall read the lesson and Mr. Clifford Elliott gave the special topic. Miss Jean McCurdy contributed a solo and Miss Joyce Wallace a reading; Miss Marjorie Wright conducted a contest.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Westlake, at Lakehurst, on Tuesday, where he conducted funeral services for the late Elgie Westlake, who died in Peterborough on Sunday, age 9 years.

Mr. Harold Elliott has been engaged as cheesemaker for season 1946 by the West Huntingdon Cheese Manufacturing Co. Harold is receiving congratulations from his many friends for the success he has attained this season most of his cheese scoring 94%. He also won many awards at the Madoc fair.

Mrs. Baldwin Reid, who has been holidaying among relatives has returned home.

Mrs. Alex McInroy and Mrs. S. McComb spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. John McInroy.

Mr. Irvine Flife, of Toronto, was a recent guest of Mr. Kenneth Stewart. Rev. William Sterling, Mrs. C. Gammon, and Mrs. M. Helke, of Cobourne, were Thanksgiving guests of Sarah and Arthur Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Emerson and Mr. Jack Morton, of Moira, were holiday guests of friends in Arnprior.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carr attended the Stapley-Jones wedding at Trenton, on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart was in Peterborough, on Monday for funeral services of the late John Pearson, of Lakefield.

Mr. William Bray was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Morley Smith, of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wright, Marjorie and Eleanor, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Stapley. Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. McCurdy were Sergeant O.R.A.C. McCurdy, who has served six years overseas; Miss Eunice McCurdy, R.N. and Mrs. J. Snider, of Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. W. Puiver and Beverley, of Gore; Mr. Dan McQuarry and Eleanor and Mrs. Dean Tomkins, of Lindsay.

Mr. Kenneth Stewart was the guest of Mr. Wesley Holbert and Miss Besie Holbert for dinner at Moira, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McInroy spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLeaming, of Allandale.

Ivanhoe W. I.

The Ivanhoe Branch of the W. I. organization held their October meeting on Tuesday afternoon with a good attendance of members at home of Mrs. Clayton Wright. Mrs. John Wallace, 1st vice-president, presided over the following program.

Community singing followed by Institute Ode, and Lord's Prayer, Roll Call was "Making a new Comer Feel Welcomed in the Community." Mrs. Howard Cooke gave a reading; Mr. Kenneth Stewart as guest speaker, gave a splendid paper on "The Rehabilitation of Our Armed Forces." He said there were 2,000,000 men and

women who came under this category. The Dominion and Provincial Governments had their share. Then the County Township, all Service Clubs, and finally he stressed we as individuals had a big part to play in being kind and sympathetic in every way to all returned men. Mrs. J. C. Sills gave current events; Mrs. Morley Haggerty expressed appreciation to guest speaker and to Mrs. Wright for opening her home. In the business period plans were formulated for a Hallowe'en Party to be held in hall at Ivanhoe.

The members were urged to help in the clothing drive for needy families in war torn lands, also to take advantage of the special course given by a nurse from the department of Agriculture, Toronto, starting October 15th. Meeting closed with the singing of National Anthem and lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hammond and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson, of Moira.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace and family attended the Anniversary Service in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Stirling, on Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ray.

The Glenn Cheese Manufacturing Company have re-engaged Mr. Roy Huffman as their cheesemaker for 1946.

Mr. Alex McCurdy spent Tuesday with Mrs. Mac Humphries and John, of Consecon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McInroy, of Moira, were tea hour guests on Sunday evening of Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace.

Mrs. Peter McInroy is spending a few days at Mr. Jim McMullen's, Holloway.

WELLMANS

Mr. and Mrs. Mei Andrus, of Peterborough, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jackman.

Miss Fay Fleming, spent the weekend and holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fleming, of Madoc.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and Yvonne, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene King, of Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maybee and Leonard and Mr. Lindsay Johnston, took dinner Sunday with relatives at Campbellford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Macklin and Gordie, of Peterborough, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham and family.

Miss Loretta Ryan, of Belleville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and family.

Miss Doris Pollock, of Peterborough spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Pollock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Byran Seeley, of Bonarlaw, and Mr. Reg. Dunham, of Belleville, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Dunham.

Miss Della Johnston, of Belleville, Mrs. Thomas Mahoney, of Campbellford; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Johnston, of Trenton, spent Monday with their father, Mr. Alex Johnston.

Miss Mabel Sharp spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Sine, at Warkworth and attended the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunham and family, of Mt. Pleasant, took supper Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and girls.

Miss Hazel Dunham took tea Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dunham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson and Tom, of Frankford.

During the month of September the following plot-owners made contributions to the Wellman's Cemetery Committee.—Dr. Don Gullett, Toronto, Mrs. Geo. White, Stirling; Mrs. Chas. Dracup, Mrs. Wm. Jackman, J. M. Brown, Hoards; Geo. Mack, High R., Alberta; Mrs. Rourke, Trenton; Wm. Snarr, Hoards; Lewis Pauley, Walter Vandervoort, Trenton; Fred Bowater, Toronto, Carmen Nix, Ed. Clancy, London, Mrs. H. V. Hoover, Ed. Todd, Burrell Fanning, Kingston; Mrs. Maude Embury.

RIVER VALLEY

A number from this community attended the Hastings and Prince Edward Parade in Belleville last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kane and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Rowe, of Warkworth, on Sunday.

Misses Keisha and Marjorie Bush and Miss June Crosby attended Teacher's Convention in Trenton last Friday.

The Institute meeting was held at the home of Mrs. John Kane, last Thursday, with a good crowd present.

Mrs. John Burkitt and children, of Belleville, spent a recent week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bush.

Miss Marjorie Bush spent Sunday with Misses Mary Lanigan and Lois Doxsee, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Voynich Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Conley and children spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Sarah Rosebush.

Mr. Lester Fraser, Peterboro, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Major Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vandervoort, Oshawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris, from St. John, Newfoundland, last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Milton Hagerman were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leonard, Frankford.

Week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Carlisle, were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vandervoort, Oshawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Don and Mrs. Glenn Brighton, were Thanksgiving Day visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear.

Mrs. Harry Hagerman spent a few days at the home of her brother, Mr. George Parker, English Line.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Wilson and family, Peterboro, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris.

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CARMEL

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Southworth, Toronto, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pyear.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Parks, Peterboro.

Clinton Hubble, RCNVR, is spending his discharge furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hubble. Mrs. Hubble arrived from St. John, Newfoundland, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Major Fraser, Peterboro, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Burkitt.

Miss Marjorie Bush spent Sunday with Misses Mary Lanigan and Lois Doxsee, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Voynich Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Conley and children spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Sarah Rosebush.

Mrs. Chas. Bailey spent the week-

NOTICE

CRAWFORD COACH LINE

will operate SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6th, 1945, leaving Stirling 6:45 p.m., arrive Belleville 7:30 p.m., return from Belleville at 10:30 p.m. Sunday, leaving Stirling 8 p.m., arrive Belleville 8:45 p.m., returning from Belleville 9:15 p.m. This is a new weekend schedule and is subject to change.

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Nine Fine Horses, including one span of extra choice chestnuts, Mare and Gelding, Belgians, weight 3100, 4 years; 1 span of fine brown mares, 5 years, 3000 lbs.; 36 Holstein, Jersey, and Guernsey Cattle; Case Tractor on rubber, model D; George White Threshing Machine, 28" new; Tractor and Horse drawn machinery—many pieces new; Milking machine, 2000 bushels grain; 75 tons hay.

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Mrs. Clifford Spry and Bill, Madoc, were recent guests of Mrs. Clinton Lough and Lois.

Miss Florence Galloway, Stirling, spent the week-end at her home here. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ketcheson, Brighton and Miss Helen Ketcheson, Trenton, were guests of Mr. S. Mason and Elda, on Sunday.

Misses Phyllis Twiddy and Marjorie Prest, spent the week-end at their respective homes at Invhoe.

The Red Cross held a quilting at the home of Mrs. T. H. McKeown, on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ingram, Stirling, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. Easter, Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bateman, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Nelson and family of Mimico, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Mason and Lois.

Miss Norma Wood spent the week-end and holiday with her parents at Nanapean.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell White and family, Toronto, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Newton White.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS

In the matter of the Estate of Charles Allen Mitz, late of the Township of Huntingdon, in the County of Hastings, farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Charles Allen Mitz, late of the Township of Huntingdon, in the County of Hastings, farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 20th of May, A.D. 1945, are requested to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of November, A.D. 1945.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have notice.

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BIRTH

BEATTY—Mr. and Mrs. John G. Beatty (nee Dorothy Mapton) are happy to announce the arrival of their daughter, at Women's College Hospital, Toronto, on Friday, Oct. 5th, 1945.

GEEN—At Belleville General Hospital on October 5th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Carman Geen (nee Madeline Tuepah), a daughter, Joyce Margaret.

The choir sang an anthem during the offertory.

A miscellaneous shower was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Ward McInroy, on Monday evening, when a large number of friends and neighbours gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murney McInroy for the occasion. W. J. Barlow acted as master of ceremonies and the following program was given viz., piano solo by Rev. J. R. Brownlie; mock wedding by the young people; comic song by Ken Bain, "You can't change it now!"; short addresses by Carl Heath, Rev. Mr. Brownlie and A. B. McComb.

Ward thanked all those present on behalf of himself and his bride (the former Miss Isabel McGregor) for the large number of useful and beautiful gifts and their kind remarks.

A bountiful lunch was served at the close of the program.

A successful dance was held in the Orange Hall, at Springbrook, on Friday evening of last week under the auspices of the I.O.O.F. Lodge. Music was furnished by The Jones Orchestra and floor manager was Carl McLellan.

At the annual meeting of the Springbrook and Bonarlaw branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society held in St. Mark's Hall, on Tuesday evening. Rev. F. B. Allnut, B.D. field secretary, gave an interesting lecture, "God's Word in Foreign Lands", illustrated by moving pictures. At the business session Clayton Burkitt was elected President and Mrs. W. J. Barlow, Sec'y-Treasurer of the local branch.

RIVER VALLEY S. GROUP

Mrs. H. Beatty in her usual good style and gracious manner was host to 13 members and 4 visitors of the River Valley Study Group. After singing, "I am Thine O Lord", and prayer by the Pres. The usual business was conducted on Temperance and Mrs. M. Vandervoort, one on Peace, from the "Church Observer". Reports of cards, calls and flowers to the hospital were given.

Mrs. Ross Bush who was Prog.-Convenor opened her part of the meeting with hymn, "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me" and then read Scripture Lesson, Psalm 90. Mrs. Geo. Heasman completed the Study Book. She reviewed the book by having prepared a splendid Roll Call based on sections throughout the whole book. Mrs. Bush then dealt with the life of hymn writers in an interesting way taking Mrs. Cecil Alexander and Isaac Watts for special study. Hymns which they wrote were sung in part,—"Jesus calls us o'er the Tumult" and "When I survey the Wondrous Cross."

Mrs. Utman gave a reading, "There Will Always Be God." A visitor read the following, "The Church vs The Movies".

"A writer in the Chicago Daily News recently tore the mask from the reasons given by some persons for not attending services, by using those same reasons against going to the movies. This was his method:

"I'm out of habit of going to the movies; I better not go tonight."

"I have not been to the movies for so long the walls would fall in if I went."

"I know a man who has gone to the movies for years, and he is no better than I am."

"There are as many good people outside the movies as inside."

"Too many hypocrites attend the movies."

"I stay away from the movies because of the kind of folk who support them. I would not sit in the same room with Mr. So and So."

"The performer gets more money than I do. Why should I help keep him in a good car and fine clothes?"

"I do not like the people in charge of the movies."

"I stay away from the movies because I went so much when I was a child."

"I need new clothes before I can go to the movies."

"I have a friend visiting me, and I do not know whether he likes movies or not; I never meddle with a man's private opinion."

"I do not go to the movies, because directors never call on me."

"I do not go to the movies, because when I went the last time, no one greeted me."

After singing another of Isaac Watts' Hymns, "Oh, God Our Help in Ages Past", the meeting closed with the Mizpah Benediction.

The October meeting will be held

at the home of Mrs. Utman. Mrs. Roy

Beatty will prepare the programme and start the New Study Book on Africa. Miss Beatty served a delicious lunch and then all spent the usual social half hour among the beautiful flowers. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the hostess.

IVANHOE MISSION BAND

The Ivanhoe Mission Band met on Saturday afternoon, October 6th, at the home of Larry and Ellen Mitz. At two thirty the meeting opened with Doris Twiddy in charge. A short program was read followed by the Bible reading. This was followed by prayer. A story on Thanksgiving was read and the Lord's Prayer repeated in unison. Doris Twiddy read a story entitled "The Wrong Way to Do It". A reading called, "I know Something Good About You" was given by Eleanor Reid and a story from the World Friends was enjoyed by all. The meeting then came to a close by repeating the Mizpah Benediction. A lovely lunch was served by the hostess and everyone thanked her for her kindness.

HOARDS

Miss Vera Roberts, of Ottawa is visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Thompson and Tommie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hoard.

Mr. and Mrs. Scram and family of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. Wm. Snarr.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Sharpe, of Oshawa, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sharpe and Mr. and Mrs. W. Sharpe.

Mrs. Alex. Donald, of Toronto, spent the week-end with Mr. A. H. Parr and Mrs. F. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sharpe spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Summers, and Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Summers at Mount Pleasant.

CHATTERTON W.I.

Chatterton Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Leonard Prest with 14 in attendance. Mrs. Claude MacInnes presided for this interesting meeting on Historical Research.

Mrs. W. Cadman gave the Halloway village history and said the mill was the only one between Madoc and Kingston, when it was built. Mrs. Harry Reid gave a review of the Baptist church. The first frame church was built in 1853, the present church in 1878. Mrs. L. Prest gave a summary of the institute up to 25 years ago. It was organized in 1911 with Miss Gutfin as president and Miss Boardman, secretary. In 1918, \$405 in money was

raised. Mrs. B. Bleeker told many items of interest on the farming locality and how early owners went to Toronto on horseback to make payment to the Crown.

The hostess served delicious refreshments assisted by Mrs. E. De Mille.

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Primary Purpose

It would be putting it mildly to report that the departure of the head of the Canadian Government, Prime Minister Mackenzie King, for the United Kingdom and Western Europe has aroused very deep interest in international affairs of the moment on Parliament Hill where there are "hints" in usually reliable circles that there is considerable dissatisfaction not only in Ottawa but in other capitals of the various Dominions about the procedure being used in creating terms for ultimate peace settlements. However, there is unusual emphasis on the point that the recent meeting in London of the foreign ministers of the United States, United Kingdom, Soviet Russia, China and France was only a gathering to draft merely certain proposals for peace settlements but it was not authorized to conclude such settlements. This is very important, indeed, if misunderstandings are to be avoided about the much publicized poor results of this meeting of the foreign ministers. In other words, it appears in Ottawa as if the visit abroad of the head of the Canadian Government may be concerned not only with common interests on the home fronts of the Motherland and this war years so that the average taxpay-

country, such as defence, employment, trade, etc., but also common, pressing interests of the Motherland and this nation on the international scene, especially involving measures used to win the peace.

But—

Somewhere there seems to have been created an impression outside this capital that the end of the war would bring an end of heavy governmental expenditures in the coming year, with resultant lowering of taxation scales. However, official information indicates in no doubtful language now that for the coming year anyhow the post-war expenditures will be about the same as the war years. In fact, Canada's expenditures during the current fiscal year ending March 31 next will be over \$5,000,000,000 and for the twelve months period from October may be close to \$4,000,000,000, with the war expenditures and demobilization bill being no less than \$3,365,000,000. In other words, while war expenditures of direct kind may be down yet post war costs are not small figures in comparison. Then again, the Government intends to use vast sums of money to help finance foreign powers in purchasing supplies in this country during the coming year, to make contribution of \$77,000,000 to the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, to pay war service gratuities, rehabilitation credits for the armed services, family allowances, and interest on the public debt. In estimating the significance of these payments, it is clear that for the coming year the expenditures may

not be far away from the levels of the various statements on expenditures or costs as well as sudden unemployment of a temporary nature there has been a steady reference in official circles to "the unexpectedly early end of hostilities against the Japanese."

Heavy Task Ahead

Judging by the programme facing Parliament, the legislators in Ottawa will be extremely busy in the next few weeks and their tasks will not be easy by any means on account of the vast amount of legislation to be examined as well as passed upon by the people's representatives. The programme of measures may even be considered to be of the most important type which the legislators have had to deal with in this first peacetime session. Moreover, controversial issues are bound to arise and heated discussions are awaited with great interest by experienced observers of the parliamentary scene. Amongst the important measures to be brought into the House of Commons in Ottawa are included the famous Bretton Woods monetary agreements, the United Nations Charter, the International Civil Aviation agreement, the subject of Canadian Nationality, veterans' charter, a Canadian Flag, and others, with the list being quite formidable.

Personal Meetings

It is indicated in the capital that Premier King's visit abroad in the midst of the present session of Parliament is due to a desire on the part of the head of the Canadian Government not only to see "on the spot" some of the aspects of the international scene of the moment but to discuss face to a number of affairs with Premier Attlee, Foreign Minister Bevin and other top men in Britain as well as elsewhere, starting with his brief visit to Washington while on his way overseas.

Somewhat Similar

The Minister of Finance, Hon. J. L. Ilsley, has revealed in Ottawa that the United States, like Canada, will do everything in her power to provide for the liberated countries, with this assertion being made to point out what the United States has in mind in regard to rationing of meat since rumors had circulated for a long time that Washington planned to eliminate meat rationing and criticisms had been directed at Ottawa for not following the same road. "Any official information that we have been able to get indicates that the United States intends to look at the matter in the same light in which we are looking at it and to continue to make available to the extent of its ability the food and other supplies required by the liberated areas", he said in part.

Smaller Majority

As a result of the early tests of strength of the Government's majority in the House of Commons, it has been shown that for the first time during the last three Parliaments, the Government's overall majority in this 20th Parliament is much smaller since in two recent tests of strength in voting these majorities were as low as 27 and 25. The present Government has at least 128 sure supporters out of the 245 members in the House of Commons, with 117 members belonging to the true principal political groups and nine independents. In other words, the nominal overall majority of the Government in this 20th Parliament appears to be only 11 votes and this is a sharp contrast to the overwhelmingly large majorities in recent years.

PLANNING for EXPANSION OF RURAL TELEPHONE SERVICE

To keep step with farm progress and to extend service to more farm families, the telephone industry is working on important new devices and methods.

Plans are already under way for resuming the rural telephone expansion program suspended in 1940, when equipment and material became urgently needed for the armed forces. Surveys are being made to determine the needs and to provide the facts for carrying out plans to expand farm telephone service.

The goal is to bring the telephone to the greatest possible number of farm families.



er cannot expect great financial benefits of peacetime in the coming months anyhow, though there are hints that in other directions the official demands on goods as well as services may decrease rapidly and the civilian production may receive benefits normal peacetime periods. Of course, tax reductions are on the way and these would be in tune with the reduction in expenditures in time. It is also noteworthy to observe that the heavy total expenditures are expected to help the general employment situation in Canada in the coming months in face of the demobilization and reduction of war production, though the government is providing a relatively small sum of only \$5,000,000 for government reconstruction projects during the next six months to facilitate the process of readjustment of employment, with the remark that between the lines of some statements on expenditures or costs as well as sudden unemployment of a temporary nature there has been a steady reference in official circles to "the unexpectedly early end of hostilities against the Japanese."

Sometime ago I received a letter from a farmer in Western Canada, it was winsome, bright, humorous, yet carried its subtle sting to the roots of the foibles of today. I wrote and asked for permission to reproduce it. His answer was: "Go ahead, but of course, if it should be taken seriously and put into effect the sin will be on your own head."

Now no one knows when a government may be moved to speedy action or how quickly a suggestion, made in jest, might be lifted by one of our junior parties and become a permanent plank in a political platform but here's the letter—I take the chance:

The New Program

"I am sending you another pamphlet in the 'Behind the Headlines' series. As I was reading it the thought came to me that somebody ought to offer a prize for the best Utopian suggestion for the future security of the race. The points to be considered in awarding the prize should be:

(1) The pleasure its votaries would get from contemplating the great good it would do to humanity.

(2) The simplicity and smoothness, with which it could be introduced, extended, reduced or abandoned as developments required.

(3) The visibility of its effect on the economy, so that the people will be able to see for themselves how it works out.

"I will not consent to be one of the judges because I intend to enter the contest. I have a suggestion to make, here it is:

"Let every housewife, who wishes to do so, hire a maid, and let every householder, who wishes to do so hire a man to look after the painting, repairing, gardening, etc. Let the government pay all these workers and also pay the housewife for boarding them. Of course wages will have to be standard, and hours of work limited.

"I think this is a wonderful scheme. It would require "no capital investment to set these people to work. It would not shift the population from one centre to another and so it would create no housing problem. If the house of a would-be employer was too small to accommodate this extra help the householder might be allowed to hire his own wife to keep house for him, while she hired him to light the fires and carry out the ashes. As times improved and other jobs became available men could then quit these domestic jobs and take on others more to their liking.

"P.S. My wife now points out that, from a woman's standpoint, it is perfect—cooks get more pay than furnace men—why should I care the government's paying for it anyway?"

Another Viewpoint

In the same mail came a letter from a lawyer in Saskatchewan. He is not in politics but he is a keen shrewd judge of economic problems. He writes with the maturity and wisdom of a man of experience. He looks forward to future progress in human affairs, not by miracles, but by the increase of understanding, the development of the capacity for straight thinking:

"People failed to think ahead and to appraise, shrewdly, the almost inevitable end of dictators. A wise man should have known that Hitler, at the very zenith of his power, had set in motion forces that would destroy him and, in the process, bring untold misery to the world. Those who trusted him most will now be the loudest in his condemnation. Their ever-ready excuse is that they did not dream that Hitler would do what he did. In the domestic field, political as well as economic, the same short-sighted reasoning is pursued. One of the greatest gifts God could bestow upon any people would be the ability and the desire to think before, rather than after the event. Look back over the tragedies and mistakes which could have been averted if only people had been willing to consider the steps they were taking and the probable consequences of their thoughtless actions."

Here are two views, the cynical and the serious—both will be needed if we are to retain our sanity as we move, from war conditions, back again to the problems of peace.

After a woman driver ran into a telephone pole and bent a fender she went to a garage and asked the mechanic:

"Can you fix up this fender so that my husband won't know it was bent?"

The mechanic looked at the bent fender and then at her, and said, "No, I can't, but I'll tell you what I can do. I can fix it up so that in a few days you can ask your husband how he bent it!"

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Bold Ways To Better Days

By R. J. DEACHMAN



Hello, Homemakers! If you have not accomplished all the canning and preserving you planned to do this summer, make the most of autumn fruits and vegetables. Let the tang of homemade pickles and the aroma of steaming sausages and simmering fruits fill your house with autumn goodness.

If you have followed The Mixing Bowl you have already read our canning instructions. Just one repetition—keep jars covered with boiling water during the processing of foods in a water-bath.

If you are fortunate enough to have a freezing locker nearby, by all means use it. The plant manager will provide an instruction booklet on preparation of food to be frozen. Oven-drying is a form of food preservation and is not difficult if you have a well-insulated oven. Vegetables must be pre-cooked and dipped in a commercial preservative solution. You can do other things while your oven is filled with drying food, but you cannot go away and leave it. If you decide to try your hand at home drying, send for instructions.

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THE QUESTION BOX

Mrs. R. T. asks: Recipe for Barbecue Sauce.

Answer: 2 quarts ripe tomatoes, 3 large onions (chopped), 4 sweet red peppers (chopped), 2 carrots (scrapped), 3 cups vinegar, 1 cup water, 4 lbs. brown sugar, 2 1/2 tsps salt, 2 tsps. allspice, 2 tsps. cloves, 2 tsps. cinnamon, 2 tsps. nutmeg, 2 tsps. ginger, 1/4 tsp. cayenne. Cut tomatoes into pieces (do not peel), mix all ingredients together and bring to a boil. Cook for 1 hour, or until soft enough to pass through a sieve. Strain and bottle. Yield: 4 pints.

Mrs. D. B. asks: What causes peppers to become bitter when baked?

Answer: Perhaps they had not been parboiled 2 mins. before they were stuffed for baking.

Mrs. J. C. suggests using fruit syrup in place of milk or water in making salad dressing.

He:
Come live with me and
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hills and fields,
Woods or steeply moun-
tains yield.

— Marlowe

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She:
If all the world and love
were young
And truth in every lov-
er's tongue,
These pretty pleasures
might we yield
To live with thee and
be thy love.

— Walter Raleigh

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Hog Producers of Ontario To Vote On Marketing Plan

Hog Producers in every county of Ontario will have an opportunity, during the month of November, to vote by ballot on whether or not they wish the adoption of province-wide Hog Marketing Scheme under the Farm Products Control Act to go into effect, it is announced by Hon. Thos. L. Kennedy, Ontario Minister of Agriculture. The proposed hog marketing scheme, which would be by far the largest yet developed under the Farm Products Control Act, has been submitted to the Farm Products Control Board by the Ontario Hog Producers Association, and in accordance with the terms of the Act, the Board has made the necessary arrangements to take a vote of the producers in order to ascertain their wishes in the matter.

On account of the widespread nature of the hog producing industry and the large numbers involved, one estimate being 100,000 in the Province, the taking of the ballot becomes a project of major dimensions, and the Farm Products Control Board has called in the assistance of the Agricultural Representatives in each of the 42 counties in old Ontario. For the purpose of the vote, a register of all hog producers in each county will be compiled, and the farmers in that category are required to register with their county agricultural representatives, either by sending in by mail their names, addresses and townships, or by calling at the agricultural representative's office. Only those whose names appear on the official register for each county will be eligible to vote, and the onus rests on the producers to see that their names are on the lists.

In order to have the scheme thoroughly explained, and an opportunity provided for registering and voting, public meetings will be held in every county of the Province during the week of November 12. These meetings will be open to all hog producers and ample opportunity will be provided for a free expression of views on the proposed scheme, which will be explained in detail by a representative of the Hog Producers Association. Registrations will be accepted at the meeting, and at the close balloting

will be made possible for all who wish to vote at that time. Ballots may also be sent in to the office of the Agricultural Representative at any time during the voting period.

So that every hog producer will have ample opportunity of expressing his views on the proposed scheme, registrations will be accepted by the Agricultural Representative in each county up to ten days after the public meeting. Every producer who registers will receive a ballot paper, and signed ballots will be accepted by the Agricultural Representative up to and including Saturday, December 8th, 1945. After that date, no further ballots will be accepted.

In the counties of Kent, Middlesex, Lambton, Huron, Perth, Bruce, Grey, Wellington, Simcoe and Renfrew, two public meetings will be held, and in all other counties there will be one meeting. The place and date of each meeting will be arranged by the Agricultural Representative, and will be announced by advertisements in the daily and weekly press. Where there is a County Agricultural Committee, the chairman of that Committee will act as chairman at the meeting, and where none has yet been organized, those present at the meeting will elect their own chairman.

The vote by ballot is being taken under the jurisdiction of the Farm Products Control Board, of which G. F. Perkin, Ontario Commissioner of Marketing is chairman.

FIRE PREVENTION NEEDED ON FARM

Today the whole world is clamoring for food. The war has left food stocks in liberated countries in a very exhausted condition and Canada, along with the other United Nations, is expected to provide its share of the world's breadbasket. Food cannot be supplied from the ruins of burned barns. It may be of interest to know that farm fire losses amounted to over \$3,000,000 in Canada last year in nearly 250 fires and that during the last 10 years such losses amounted to nearly \$29,000,000 in 41,000 fires. Every effort is being made by the government to harvest this year's crops by the use of members of the armed services to make up for the manpower shortage on our farms. Why then permit these precious crops to go up in smoke?

Records show that there are eight major causes of farm fires. These may be listed as follows: defective chimneys and flue sparks on combustible roofs, lighting, spontaneous ignition, lightning, matches, gasoline or kerosene, heating equipment and electrical wiring.

Threshing operations are another hazard. All these causes may be eliminated by the application of ordinary fire prevention principles.

Much can be done to reduce the hazards of a conflagration by proper construction and proper spacing of farm buildings. Farmers as a rule being pretty well isolated should provide some form of fire protection in the way of pails or barrels of water, hand pumps, extinguishers and ladders.

There is too a growing tendency toward the provision of fire protection on a community basis. This may be accomplished by either the establishment of a rural fire department or by entering into an agreement for protection on a fee basis with a neighboring town or city.

In an event, if we are to fulfill our responsibility of helping to feed the



Hasty Pee's Given Welcome at Belleville

Belleville was on tenterhooks on Thursday last as the two counties and hundreds from other cities and districts welcomed home the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment from overseas. There were jubilant scenes as the returning warriors were kissed, hugged, clapped on the back and literally mobbed.

The famous hard-fighting regiment arrived Thursday morning aboard two special trains, having left Halifax on Tuesday morning. The trains were held over at McAdam on the State of Maine border during the first night so as to fit into local reception arrangements.

The regiment arrived in Halifax Monday afternoon on the French luxury liner *Île de France*, coming across from England with the second half of the First Canadian Division. The first half arrived aboard the Dutch liner *New Amsterdam*.

Joined by Veterans

Major C. H. Broad of Bancroft, who served overseas with the battalion but returned some time ago, met the regiment at Halifax and returned aboard one of the special trains with the troops. RSM Angus B. Duffy, who left the regiment at Ortona, boarded the train at Montreal.

Led by Major Allen Ross, of Montreal, commanding officer, the Red Patch troops detrained into the arms of thousands of next of kin, and friends roaring forth a great welcome.

A heart touching part of the homecoming was the welcome given by hundreds of the original men of the regiment who had been wounded in action and returned home or repatriated and demobilized as the result of long years of service, mostly five years and more. These men had tears in their eyes as the returning troops stepped out behind the bands. It was to their efforts mostly that the Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment had made such a fine name in the tough and hard fighting in Sicily, Italy and Northwest Europe. To them it was evident that the regiment and the flash on the shoulder was pricelessly dear.

By special order of Major Allen Ross, OC, First Battalion, these men marched with their original companies. They were proud men.

Order of Parade

Forming in companies the regiment paraded from the CNR Station led by the battle flag. Following the battle flag was the First Battalion bugle band and the Second Battalion brass band. Then came Headquarters and Headquarters Company of the regiment. They were followed by A Company and in turn by the color party, B Company, Belleville city brass band C Company, D Company, Pipe Band, veterans of the First Battalion of the Regiment, Veterans' organizations, and a detachment of the St. John Ambulance Brigade.

The bands were under the joint command of Capt. Ketcheson and Lt. Johnson, and the Veterans' organizations under Major R. J. Graham. The reception was under command of Major W. A. Davern and Lt.-Col. B. C. Donnan, MC, formerly CO of Regiment.

The saluting base was located in front of the court house, and the salute was taken by Brigadier H. D. Graham, DSO, ED, who commanded the First Brigade of the First Canadian Division in Sicily and in Italy up to the battle of Ortona, in December, 1943. The Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment was one of the three battalions in the First Brigade.

Two three-minutes addresses were delivered by the Wards of Hastings and Prince Edward Counties, and then the troops were delivered to their own anxiously waiting people and relatives. A buffet meal for 2,500 was arranged in the armories.

Some 400 or 500 returning troops with the regiment belong to other districts. After the parade and reception they were given transportation home.

4 Originals Left

Only four men who went overseas with the regiment nearly six years ago returned to Belleville. They were QMMS L. E. Eames, of Picton; CSM A. J. Campbell, of Brighton; Sgt. Wilfred Hunter, of Whitby, and Sergt Stanley Scruby, of Toronto.

Eames and Scruby hold the record of being longest with the regiment in the fighting front. Both were away a short time when the regiment first went into action, but rejoined in the latter part of the Sicilian campaign. Other than that short period and the Sicilian campaign only lasted 28 days, they served throughout with the regiment.

QMS Eames served under 20 different company commanders, two having command on three separate occasions, and six different commanding officers of the regiment, one having had command twice.

The company commanders were

Major (now Lt.-Col.) Bert Kennedy, DSO, of Owen Sound, who was wounded twice and later captured and escaped; Capt. Bob Waugh, MC; Capt. May Yarewood, now major, of Madoc; Major O'Connor Fenton, of Picton, wounded in action, now a Lt.-Col.; Capt. Grover Dennis, of Toronto, who was killed in front of Ortona; Lt. (now Capt.) Dean Seaton; Capt. G. Dinswood, killed in front of Ortona; Capt. Herbert Long, of Port Hope, wounded in action advancing on Ortona; Lt. Jack Woods; Major (now Lt.-Col.) D. C. Cameron, DSO and Bar; Major G. Allen Ross, DSO, presently commanding the regiment; Capt. Bernard Madden, killed in front of Ortona; Capt. T. C. McClung, of Montreal; Lt. Letch Scott; Capt. C. G. Kinsley, of Timmins; Major Douglas McDonald, killed near Bagnacavello; Major William Mair; Capt. (now Major) Clifford Broad, of Bancroft; Capt. Wayne King and Capt. Donald Kennedy, mentioned in Despatches.

The commanding officers were: Lt.-Col. Bruce Sturte, killed whilst on a recess at Ossoro, Sicily; Lt.-Col. Lord John Tweedsmuir, DSO; Lt.-Col. Bert Kennedy, DSO; Lt.-Col. Donald Cameron, DSO and Bar; Major G. Allen Ross, DSO; Lt.-Col. George Renison, and, at present, Major Ross.

Many Glowing Pages

The officers and men of the regiment wrote many glowing pages in their glorious history during the fighting in Sicily, Italy, and Northwest Europe until the Germans surrendered.

In the two years from the landing on the southern beaches of Sicily to the conclusion of hostilities in Holland in May this year, 3,900 officers and men served in the regiment, 180 officers, 720 NCO's and 3,000 men.

Thirty decorations, DSC's, MC's, DCM's and MM's to say nothing of mention in despatches, were won by the officers and men of the regiment in the two years of hard and tough fighting.

The Hastings and Prince Edward Regiment is now home and the men are returning to their peaceful occupations, as good Canadian citizens as they were before Hitler set out to conquer the world.

Regional officers of the National Film Board across Canada are supplying films to community groups showing how disabled veterans are training to take up jobs in civilian life.

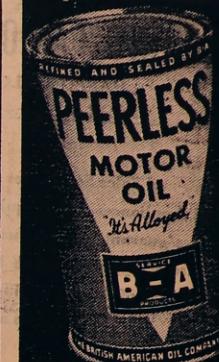
For the reconstruction of Jewish synagogues in Germany, Canadian Jewry have contributed 100 scrolls of the law, the most precious ornament

of the Jewish Cult.

China has 28 provinces and two special territories: Outer Mongolia and Tibet, with a total population of 457,835,475. Oswald was in his sentimental and extravagant mood. He was writing a letter to his sweetheart.

"Dearest Annabella," he wrote, "I would swim the mighty ocean for one glance from your eyes, I would walk through a wall of flame for one touch of your tiny hands. I would leap the widest river for a word from your lovely lips. Your own Oswald." "P.S.—I'll be over on Saturday night if it doesn't rain."

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BURGLAR ARRESTED

His pockets bulging with nine wrist watches, a varied assortment of rings and a penknife, a thief Monday night walked out of a Campbellford Jewelry store and into the arms of the law. The burglar, who gave his name as

Howard Collins, effected entry by bending the iron bars on a rear window. When he attempted to leave as quietly as he arrived, he walked into the open arms of Chief Constable George Hardy and Provincial Constable James McKenzie.

In Hymen's Bonds

WAYMARK—FOWLER

A wedding of interest took place at the home of Rev. C. Ernest Tatham, when he officiated at the ceremony which united in marriage Jean Elizabeth Fowler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Fowler of Peterborough, to Albert Charles Waymark, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Waymark of Have-lock. The house was decorated with a profusion of fall flowers.

Mrs. Percy Johnson, cousin of the bride, played the wedding music, and Miss Mary Robson, Reg. N., sang "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden", during the signing of the register.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white silk rayon, made on princess line, with a finger-tip veil, and carried a bouquet of red roses. She was attended by Miss Phyllis Morgan, in fuchsia silk rayon, with matching feather hat and veil, and carrying a bouquet of pink carnations. Cecil Conley, was best man.

At the reception at Hooper's Palm Rooms, the bride's mother received, wearing a powder-blue sheer crepe ensemble, navy hat, and a corsage of red roses. Mrs. D. Burkitt, of Stirling, who also received, wore a sheer black and white crepe ensemble, with matching hat, and a corsage of pink roses.

For a wedding trip to Quebec province and Eastern Ontario, the bride donned a rosewood shade woolen suit, and brown accessories. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Waymark will live in Peterborough.

Out-of-town guests at the Waymark-Fowler wedding included: Mrs. Gertrude Thompson, Miss Doris Glover, Mrs. Donald Duncan and son, Donald, of Toronto; Mrs. David Burkitt, of Stirling; and Miss Helen Marsh, of Ottawa—Peterborough Examiner.

Entered Into Rest

ORRILL JOYCE

The funeral of Orrill Joyce, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Joyce, 7th concession of Rawdon, who drowned in Lake Ontario recently, was held this afternoon and was conducted by Rev. C. C. Brazil. Interment in White Lake Cemetery.

ST. PAUL'S W.M.S.

The members of St. Paul's W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. Carleton Wright, on Tuesday afternoon of this week.

A brief worship service was followed with a period of business procedure over which the president presided.

Mrs. C. Macklin and Mrs. J. B. Thompson were appointed a nominating committee to fill vacancies on the executive. Thanksgiving meeting was announced for November, the Rev. Shorten, of Foxboro will be guest speaker.

A paper on "Peace in Our Time" was read by Mrs. Robt. Christie, and was followed with secretary's and the Treasurer's reports. Ten calls were reported from community friendship.

At this time Mrs. A. Gordaniere took charge of the afternoon programme.

The call to worship preceded the singing of Psalm 100, and a Thanksgiving prayer.

Mrs. Bradburn gave a reading on "Thanksgiving" and said every day should be a Thanksgiving day.

Like the wee girl who, when trying to count the stars said, "I never knew there were so many, so we too can say the same thing when we try to count our blessings."

Mrs. Oliver Stapley read the Scripture passage and gave a short reading on "The Golden Rule." Peace would be world wide and permanent if each person followed this rule along with the teachings of the sermon on the Mount and the Ten Commandments.

The Study Book Chapter was given by Mrs. R. A. Patterson. This chapter

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WITH THE Boy Scouts



BOY SCOUT MEET

The weekly meeting of the Stirling Wolf Cub was held on Wednesday with a full attendance of 25 boys. The meeting opened and Harold Baker led a discussion as regards the Boy Scout Apple Day. Then the boys enjoyed themselves in some games. The meeting was closed by singing God Save the King.

told of the Church in Angola and its founder the Rev. W. T. Currie. The Christians of Angola call themselves simply "Christians," without any denominational distinction and form a self governing, self supporting and independent church. It is a church of two books—the New Testament and the hymn book—a Bible reading, testifying, singing and withal a victorious church. No wonder it is growing so fast, that the greatest problem of missionaries and African leaders alike, is to teach and train the crowds who seek admittance into its fellowship.

After a closing worship service, the committee in charge served a bountiful lunch. Mrs. A. Armstrong expressed the gratitude of the members to the hostess and all who had taken part in the meeting.

BAY OF QUINTE CONFERENCE SELECTS NANAPEE

Plans were made Tuesday at a meeting of the executive held at Bridge Street Church, Belleville for the holding of the 22nd annual Bay of Quinte Conference of the United Church, Rev. H. B. Neal, president, Renfrew, was in the chair and Rev. J. E. Beckel, Elgin as secretary.

Billeting of 350-400 lay and ministerial delegates for the greater part of a week has proved a difficult task under war conditions, which this year still prevent the Conference meeting at Brockville, which would have been the normal place. Depending on the surrounding villages and countryside to help out, a delegation from Nanapee churches: Revs. C. D. McLellan and Mr. Burton Elliott of Grace Church and Rev. Nobel Hatton, Harry Vanluyken and George Switzer of Trinity Church conveyed the invitation which was gladly accepted.

It was decided to open the Conference at 10 a.m. Tuesday, May 28 and to organize immediately to permit an extra day's work at committees in view of this being General Council year. The Communion service and Memorial to deceased ministers will begin at 3 p.m. the opening day. Meetings will continue until Friday night.

The Lay Association of Conference of which Inspector R. F. Downey, B. Paed, of Peterborough, and Mr. H. S. Johnston, of Lindsay, are President and Secretary respectively, reported that the devotional speaker who this year will be from the United States will be Dr. Edwin McNeill Poteat, President of Coigale Divinity School, Rochester, N.Y. He will give an address each morning, address a separate ministerial session and be the speaker at the Laymen's Banquet which is always an outstanding event with an attendance up to 600.

Names Chairman

Rev. J. R. Trumper, of Cannington, who is secretary of the Belleville Presbytery will be chairman of the Business Committee of the Conference along with Rev. Alfred Poulter of Madoc who is chairman of the Belleville Presbytery. With them will be associated a layman to be appointed from Nanapee.

Presbyteries of the Conference, of which there are seven, are asked to make nominations for the office of President for next year. So far Cobourg has nominated Rev. J. W. Gordon, of Port Hope and Kingston, Rev. J. E. Beckel of Elgin. They will also nominate a minister and layman to the Conference for appointment as Commissioners to the ensuing General Council of 1946 to meet at a place still undecided.

Systematic dragging of the Trent River is continuing at Campbellford in an attempt to locate the body of Barbara Radford, 6, who is believed to have fallen into the water last Thursday, while playing on the river wall on her way home from school.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

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Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle Phippin, of Sarnia and Pte. Jack Phippin, of Barrie, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas May and family, of Baltimore, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Cranston, and other friends, in town for a couple of days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bateman and daughter, Lenora, of Springbrook, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martin, of Sime, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Macklin, Mrs. Nina Morton and Mrs. Nora Wescott, spent the Thanksgiving weekend with Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Scott, Almonte.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Rodgers, and Heather, spent the weekend in Kingston, visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. S. Calver, who is a patient in the hospital.

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Brazil and family renewed acquaintances in Coe Hill on Monday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rollins.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wannamaker, of Toronto, spent the Thanksgiving weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Karl Sime.

Mr. and Mrs. "Mickey" Walt, of Trenton, Sgt. Bob Cooke, of Uplands, near Ottawa, and Mr. and Mrs. Grant Cole and family, of Corybyville, were weekend guests of Mrs. Henry Cooke.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Whitton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Bailey, spent Monday evening with Mrs. Jean Thompson and Sgt. Jim Thompson.

Week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Luery and Mrs. R. P. Coulter were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cook and Lieut and Mrs. R. G. Barrell, of Toronto. On Monday they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Luery.



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Class held their October meeting on
Tuesday evening, in the form of a
"Brush" Shower for one of their ac-
tive members, Lorne Watson, who
will soon wed Miss Ana English, of
Belleville, a former class member.

The meeting was held at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton and
there were over forty in attendance,
including the groom's family. The
early part of the evening was devoted
to games and stunts directed by Rev.
T. F. Townsend. Lorne and Ana were
then given seats of honour and intro-
duced to Mr. and Mrs. Brush and fam-
ily. Each member was presented by
Miss Fay Fleming, while Mrs. Morton
recited a rhyme about each. There
was Mrs. Brush (a broom); Mr. Brush
(a stable broom); Grandma (a dust
mop); Melinda (murecoso Brush);
Toots (a shoe brush); Skinny (scrub
brush); Peter (clothes brush); Car-
mine (paint brush); Cowie (curry
brush); Patsy (whisk), and the baby
(shaving brush). Each brush was be-
comingly dressed.

Lorne and Ana spoke briefly and all
sang, "For They Are Jolly Good
Fellows." Miss Fleming presided over a
short program, which included com-
munity singing led by Mr. Townsend
with Mrs. Townsend at the piano.
Reading by Gerald Clancy, "Musings
About Marriage"; Ted Pollock read
"The Snoring Husband", and Mabel
Sharp read, "No Room for Pa's
Things". Lunch was served by the
class members and a social hour en-
joyed by all.

LOSE TO MARMORA

Stirling High School Rugby Squad
went down to defeat in Marmora on
Tuesday afternoon by a score of 12-10,
after a thrilling game.

Girls Win

In softball, the local girls defeated
Marmora by a score of 19-7.

St. Andrew's W.M.S.

The regular meeting of St. An-
drew's Missionary Society was held at
the home of Miss Lillian Matthews,
with a good attendance of members
and visitors. The president directed
the devotional period and business.
The meeting opened with hymn 96.
As this meeting was a Thanksgiving
Service it was taken from the Glad
Tidings which was prepared by Miss
Frieda Matthews. Mesdames Anderson,
Hermiston, Tummon, Fargey and
Miss Geny Spry took different parts
of the service.

Mrs. Munro read the minutes of
Sept. meeting that was held at the
home of Mrs. J. M. Black.

Mrs. Hermiston reported for the
visiting committee.

Mrs. W. H. V. Walker and Mrs. Mc-
Intosh were appointed a nominating
committee for 1946.

The president asked members to
bring magazines and books to be sent
to the sailors. Mrs. Black and Mrs.
Ray, prepared the programme, and in
their absence, Mrs. L. Lodgers took
charge. Hymn 691 was sung, follow-
ed by Glad Tidings Prayer by Mrs.
Walker. A splendid topic was given
by Miss Lillian Matthews.

Watch Tower consisted of a report
of the Presbyterian meeting held at
Deseronto by Mrs. Walker and Mrs.
Hermiston, and was followed by a
piano solo, by Mrs. R. H. Williams;
and a solo by Ileen Cook, accom-
panied by Miss Lillian Matthews.
Hymn 690 was sung and the Mizpah
Benediction brought the meeting to a
close. A dainty lunch was served by
the hostess and the thanks of the so-
ciety was ably voiced by Miss Geny
Spry.

Old Copies Wanted

Several copies of the News-Argus of
Sept. 20th are needed at this office.
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MILK REPORT

A report on the milk supply of Stirling
Dairy as received from the Department
of Health, Toronto, is as follows: — B. Coll. Count, 0; Standard
Plate Count, 9,000; P. C. Butter fat,
3.1; Result of Phosphatase Test, "A".

Changes In Office Staffs

Employed at the local office of the
Department of Agriculture for the
past six years, Miss Lillian Wood has
resigned to be married and finished
her duties on Friday last. Miss Dorothy
Eggleton, who has been employed by
the local Branch of the Bank of Montreal
for the past ten years has accepted the position vacated by Miss
Wood and will assume her new duties
on November 1st. During the interval,
Mrs. Harold Thompson, of West
Huntingdon, is supplying at the Agricul-
tural Office.

MET AT ST. JOHN'S

A Quiet Day for the clergy of the
Archdeaconery of Frontenac was held in
St. John's Church, Stirling, on
Tuesday. Sixteen clergy were present
for the meeting which was conducted
by Canon C. A. Moulton, rector of St.
Simon's Church, Toronto. The ladies of
the W. A. served dinner and afterno-
noon tea to the visiting clergy.

Bonarlaw Airman On Way Home

LAC W. D. McKeown, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Fred McKeown, Bonarlaw,
is among the Royal Canadian Air
Force personnel expected to arrive on
the ship "Ile de France", which is
scheduled to dock at Halifax on
Saturday, October 20th. The repatriates
are expected to arrive on Sunday,
October 21st, at Lachine from which
point they will be given leave and
proceed to their homes.

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violin, Kenneth Bain did a sword
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**PICTURE IN
OBSERVER**

A picture of Isabel Dobbie, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Dobbie, of
Smiths Falls, former residents of Stirling,
appeared in the September issue of the
United Church Observer in a group of students who attended the
first Student-in-Industry Camp held at
Welland, Ont. The camp was held in
June last and was attended by students
from eight campuses from St. John to Vancouver and a variety of
countries, including British Columbia,
Mexico and Bermuda. Miss Dobbie
represented Mount Allison University,
Saskville, N. B.

P.O.W. ENROUTE HOME

Rfn. Reginald H. Moore, son of Geo.
Moore, Campbellford, is included in a
list of liberated Canadian prisoners-
of-war who arrived at San Diego on
Oct. 11 aboard the U.S.S. Lemaire. The
time that he will arrive home is not
known because such personnel have
an indefinite stopover in Vancouver.
Rfn. Clarence Hay, also of Campbell-
ford, is among a group of former
Japanese prisoners being brought
home aboard the U.S.S. Glory, which
is due to dock at Esquimalt, on Octo-
ber 26th.

I.O.O.F. Officers Are Installed

M. O. Ferguson, D.D.G.M.,
and Staff, Havelock, officiate — Everett Cooke, N.G.

On Wednesday evening of last week
M. O. Ferguson, District Deputy Grand
Master of Madoc District No. 45, Inde-
pendent Order of Oddfellows, and
staff of officers installed the Officers
of Springbrook Lodge I.O.O.F., No.
429, at Springbrook, Ont. Other mem-
bers of the installation team were J.
D. Hough, D.D.G. Marshall; John
Davidson, D.D.S. Chaplain; F.L. Mc-
Kenzie, D.D.G. Warden; Albert Hol-
land, D.D.G. Rec. Sec.; S. Southward,
D.D. Fin. Sec'y; Wilbur Patterson, D.
G. Treasurer; Graydon Harris, D.D.
G. Herald; Carman Coon, D.D.G.
Guardian and Harry Jamieson, D.D.G.
Organist.

The Officers installed were Everett
Cooke, Noble Grand; Cecil H. Bate-
man, Past Grand; Malcolm Mason,
Vice-Grand; Clayton Burkitt, Record-
ing Secretary; Sidney Mason, Finan-
cial Secretary; Hiram Mumby, Treas-
urer; Earl Cranston, Chaplain;
Frank Coshey, Warden; Mark Shortt,
Conductor; H. Martin, R.S.N.G.; Roy
Shortt, R.S.N.G.; Carl Heath, R.S.S.;
Malcolm McMullen, L.S.S.; S. East-
wood, R.S.V.G.; Roy Brown, L.S.V.G.;
Mel R. Neal, I.G.; Emerson Reid, O.G.

Inspiring addresses were delivered by
DD.G. Master Ferguson and D.D.G.
Marshall Hough and other members of
the installing team made short ad-
dresses as well as several members of
Springbrook Lodge.

A Holy Bible was presented to the
Lodge by the retiring Noble Grand,
Cecil H. Bateman and the District De-
puty made the presentation.

At the close of the lodge a boun-
tiful lunch was served and an impromptu
programme was given. Instrumen-
tal numbers were rendered by a trio
composed of Malcolm McMullen, vi-
olin, J. F. Baker, harp, and Harry
Jamieson, Harmonica.

Vocal solos were contributed by
Bros. Kenneth Bain, Frank Coshey, and
J. F. Baker and a vocal duet by
Sidney Mason and J. F. Baker.

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Local Happenings of Interest About Town

David Duffin was in Toronto for a
few days this week.

Mrs. Wm. Murray, of Pontiac, Mich.,
is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Rol-
lins.

Mrs. Hugh Morton is spending some
time in Toronto, with her daughter,
Mrs. John Beatty and Mr. Beatty.

M. A. E. Strickland, of Picton,
visited Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Strickland
on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gorman, Jimmy and
Tommy, spent the week-end in
Toronto.

Miss Jean Hellwell, R.N., of
Christie St. Hospital, Toronto, spent
a few days last week with her parents,
Dr. and Mrs. P. V. Hellwell.

Edna Howard Wardens, of Children's
Shelter, has returned to Brantford
school after spending her holidays
with Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Robinson, of
Kemptville, were guests on Thursday
night, of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tompkins.

Miss Rosa Spry, Miss Gena Spry
and Miss Dorothy Eggleton were Sun-
day guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Was-
son, Peterborough.

Mr. F. G. Pepperell spent Tuesday
and Wednesday assisting the Inspectors
at the Peterborough Branch of the
Bank of Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lee, of Campbell-
ford; Mrs. J. Neild, of Rochester, N.Y.,
and Mrs. E. Bush and Don, of Castle-
ton, were Sunday guests of Mr. and
Mrs. J. S. Whitehead.

Clothing Appeal Ends Saturday

"What Can You Spare That
They Can Wear?" — Bundles Left at Agric. Office

Lack of essential clothing, shoes
and blankets is responsible for much
of the suffering, sickness and death
among the people of Greece. There,
according to reports, one in every six
persons is afflicted with tuberculosis
and unless the desperately needed ap-
parel and bedding is quickly forth-
coming, a tremendous rise in this dis-
ease can be expected, the medical
authorities say.

Canada is the one current source of
such supplies, not only for the Greeks
but for the peoples of other war-
devasted countries. Contributions of
such materials from among the discarded
things in Canadian homes now are
being assembled by the National
Clothing Collection, to meet these des-
perate needs. All Canadians should
contribute their used, but still serviceable
apparel and blankets if they can do
so without need of replacement.

Saturday, October 20th is the last
day of this appeal and those of our
readers who wish to make a contribu-
tion to the sufferers in Europe are
asked to leave their bundle at the local
Agricultural Office or notify Miss
Ross Spry, or any other member of the
local I.O.O.F.

Apple Day Successful

Success crowned the efforts of the
Boy Scouts, on Saturday last in their first
Apple Day, with the net pro-
ceeds amounting to \$80.87. The mem-
bers were divided into nine teams for
the canvas, with Ronald Donnan,
Keith Williams and Donnie Campbell,
(Capt.), winning the prize for the
largest sales. Free passes to the local
show until the end of the year were
the prizes. Scout Leader H. Baker
and the boys wish to thank all who in
any way contributed to the success of
the canvas.

PRESUMED DEAD

F/O Norman G. Bailey, of George-
town, previously reported missing on
active service is now presumed dead.
F/O Bailey was a member of the Bank
of Montreal staff in Stirling, in 1934.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Oldfield, Po-
wasson, Ont., have returned home af-
ter spending a few days with Mr. and
Mrs. Geo. Taylor and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Drewry and
daughter, of Port Burwell, left today
after spending a week with the former's
mother, Mrs. George Drewry.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clendenning and
daughter, Gail, of Toronto, were week-
end guests of the latter's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. S. Hatton.

Miss Gladys McCaughey returned to
her home in Kemptville, on Sunday
after spending a few days with Mr.
and Mrs. H. R. Tompkins.

Mrs. Elizabeth Faulkner, of Belle-
ville, Mrs. Charlie Irvine and Reggie,
of Fuller, were recent guests of Mrs.
Jennet Utman.

Friends of Mrs. F. C. Gascoigne
will regret to learn that she is a pa-
tient in Belleville Hospital, where she
underwent an operation on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Johnston and Allan, of
Harold, and Mrs. M. Elliott, of Medi-
cine Hat, Alta., were Sunday guests of
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Thain.

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Addresses Wanted

The local Red Cross wants the
addresses of all local boys still
overseas in order that Christmas
boxes may be sent to them. Par-
ents of the boys are asked to co-
operate and submit the addresses
to Mrs. Gordon Bailey or Mrs. A.
S. McConnell as soon as possible,
to facilitate this work.

MOVING WATER HYDRANT

The work of moving a water hydrant
from the north to the south side of
Charlotte St. was begun Tuesday by
Messrs. Fred and Jack Gibson. The
change was necessitated to clear a
driveway to the new service station
to be built on the site of the former
Carl Conley residence.

Business Change

Donald A. Sharp, who has conduct-
ed a grist mill at Hoard's, for several
years, has disposed of his business to
Geo. Snarr, farmer, of Wellmans, and
has purchased J. A. Irwin's General
Store in Campbellford. Mr. Snarr has
sold his farm to Carl Clancy.

Appointed To Executive

At a meeting of the County Agricultural
Committee held in Toronto last
week, Wilfred Spencer, of Rawdon
Township, was appointed a member of
the executive of the Ontario Association
of County Agricultural Committees. Those attending the meeting
from here in addition to Mr. Spencer
were H. L. Fair, Agricultural Repre-
sentative, Col. R. Vanderwater, pres-
ident of Hastings County Federation
of Agriculture, and Clarence Graham,
of Tweed.

At this time by request of S. School
Supt. the pastor, also made mention of
Sunday School record board which
was made by Ralph and presented to
Sunday School six years ago and has
been used every Sunday. Suitable
hymns were sung during the service.
Mr. Stewart chose as his text; IV Cor.
Chap. 4-17th verse.

The Benediction and singing of Na-
tional Anthem brought this very im-
pressive and inspiring service to a
close.

ENGAGEMENTS

The engagement is announced of
Lillian Gertrude, daughter of Mrs. H.
M. Wood and the late Mr. Wood, of
Ivanhoe, to Mr. W. Carl Potter, son of
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Potter, Stirling.
Marriage to take place early in No-
vember.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Bedford an-
nounce the engagement of their
daughter, Marion Frances, to Mr. Geo.
Earl Striker, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Chas Striker, Frankford. Marriage to
take place early in November.

COMING EVENTS

DANCE — AUSPICES OF ST JOHN'S
Women's League, Community Hall,
Stirling, Tuesday, October 23rd,
'Aces' Orchestra, Round and Square
Dancing. Lunch served; admission
50c Each.

MASQUERADE DANCE WILL BE
held in the Madoc Armouries, Fri-
day, October 26, under auspices of the
Madoc Branch of the Canadian
Legion. Music by Fort Frontenac
Orchestra, Kingston. Dancing from
9.30 until 2 o'clock. Refreshments.
Good Prizes. Admission \$1.50 per
couple. Extra lady, 50c.

AUCTION SALE HORSES, CATTLE,
Farm Machinery, Grain of James
Hannah, Lot 32, Con. 3, Sidney, on
Tuesday, Oct. 23rd, at 1 p.m. Terms
Cash. Geo. Arnott, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD
Effects, the property of Miss Jessie
Judd, on the Judd premises, Front
St., Just West of Frankford Road,
on Saturday, October 20th, com-
mencing at 1 o'clock. Terms: Cash.
Miss Jessie Judd, Owner, G. W.
Arnott, Auct.

SERVICES AT 11.00 A.M. AND 7.30 P.M.

REV. A. M. LAVERTY WILL PREACH AT BOTH SERVICES

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Canada's Annual Statement

It can be reported that the principal topic of conversation both inside the House of Commons and outside wherever members happen to congregate seems to be this country's annual financial statement which Canada's Minister of Finance, Hon. J. L. Ilsley, has had to prepare in a manner that would attempt to satisfy as many people as possible, though it must be admitted that to please all taxpayers would be an impossibility under present conditions. Nevertheless, it is held in Ottawa that no official document could stress more at this time the fact that changes in the world are bound to affect the general economic conditions not merely of this nation in her dealings with other nations but the particular economic fate of the individuals in this country. In short, everyone in Canada will be affected directly or indirectly by the developments on the international scene inasmuch as in wartime.

Far too many people in Canada, it appears from information in Ottawa, seem to be under the wrong impression that the cessation of actual hostilities has brought in its wake or what is meant by peacetime under present world conditions which are not normal by any stretch even of the imagination.

"I think it is essential at the beginning to realize that war expenditures proper must continue for some time after the actual end of hostilities," said in part the Canadian Minister of Finance, Hon. J. L. Ilsley, in a speech in Parliament. This is an extremely important statement because it infers clearly that, while the actual fighting has stopped, yet an estimate of the probable income as well as expenditure of Canada for the following year of so-called peacetime will reflect anything but normal conditions.

There are still very large bills to be paid for Canada's armed forces at home or abroad and these must be provided with pay, allowances, shelter, food, clothing and other supplies, especially for the forces of occupation of enemy territories. There are still very large bills to be paid for the process of demobilization of forces in gratuities, re-establishment credits, etc. There are still very large bills to be paid on account of the sudden termination of the war production schedule in reimbursing contractors for costs which they had incurred or for cancelled contracts. There are still very large bills to be financed for more indirect costs of the war, such as, for instance, the costs of subsidies and the expenditures to keep away inflation, with other huge bills being involved in settlement of outstanding accounts between Canada and Allied countries, particularly the United Kingdom and the United States.

Therefore, though this country is gradually returning to what may be termed a peacetime position, yet Canada will not reach a normal peacetime situation for some months, at least, with a very heavy expenditures likely to continue and these affecting the nation's economy as well as that of the individual within it on account of many uncertain amounts involved and unforeseen contingencies anticipated. Indeed, the number and amounts of substantial continuing costs of the war in the figures showing the Federal Government's expenditures until March 31, 1946, as revealed in the official financial statement of the Minister of Finance in Ottawa, are most impressive to any veteran observer of national affairs in Ottawa. Indicative of this fact are the amounts needed for the armed services, such as \$1,068,170,527 for the army, \$299,528,667 for the navy, \$908,487,116 for



MUSIC MAKER

Sir Ernest MacMillan rehearsed the Toronto Symphony Orchestra for the opening of the 24-week series of Toronto Symphony "Pops", to be broadcast from Massey Hall during the fall and winter. The first "Pops" concert will be presented Friday, October 26, over the CBC Trans-Canada network, at 8:00 p.m. EST, 9:00 pm. AST.

get something done that everybody wants done, I wonder if the mothers, who are used to making quick decisions every day, could not do better," said in part Mrs. Gladys Strum, only woman member of Canada's Parliament, in the course of a speech in the capital where she stated that she wished there were more women in Parliament, not because they are better than men but, she felt, that they certainly couldn't be any worse.

Budget Highlights

Highlights of tax changes in Finance Minister Ilsley's budget speech follow:

Personal income tax to be cut 16 per cent effective Oct. 1, 1945.

Percentage reductions to be granted in succession duties where property passes second time within five years.

Tax reductions to reduce revenue by \$300,000,000 in fall fiscal year.

Income tax relief for contributors and recipients of annuities and pensions.

Income tax exemptions enjoyed by service personnel serving afloat and in the air in Canada or the western hemisphere to be abolished.

100 per cent tax imposed on profits from purchase of Alberta beets purchased between Jan. 31, 1945 and Aug. 7, 1945.

War exchange tax of 10 per cent on imports from non-Empire countries discontinued, effective yesterday.

Machinery and apparatus of production removed from sales tax list, effective yesterday.

Excise tax of 25 per cent, on furs reduced to 10 per cent. All furs and fur-trimmed garments placed under eight per cent sales tax.

Goods brought in from United States by tourists under \$100 purchase privilege exempt from sales tax.

Sole proprietorships and partnerships relieved from 15 per cent tax on total profits but tax on excess profits continued.

Minimum standard profits for excess tax purposes increased for all firms with less than \$25,000 standard.

The 20 per cent refundable portion of excess profits tax abolished and the 100 per cent excess profits tax rate reduced to 60 per cent, effective Jan. 1, 1946.

Excess profits tax limitation on advertising expenditures removed as from Jan. 1, 1946.

Exemption of profits from new base metal mines from excess profits tax to be continued and profits from gold mines and certain industrial mineral mines to be similarly exempt as from Jan. 1, 1946.

75 SEARCHERS FAIL TO DISCOVER CHILD

In response to Mayor Frank Long's broadcast Saturday for volunteers to assist in the search for five-year-old Barbara Radford, missing since Oct. 4, seventy-five citizens along with provincial and local police, canal men, mill workers and hydro employees gathered at the cenotaph at Campbellford, early Sunday afternoon all ready to do their part.

The men were divided into groups and assigned to motorboats and smaller craft. The route were mapped out by an experienced riverman, Walter Lowe, a veteran of the First Great War. Shore lines of all islands south of the town were combed and racks of various powerhouses again cleared but no trace was found of the missing child.

A seaplane from Trenton airport also made a complete survey of the Trent River but the crew had nothing to report. The search will continue again today, numbers of duck hunters having offered their services.

Ask Yule Mail Sent Overseas Before November 10th

The deadline for overseas Christmas mail is Nov. 10, the Canadian Post Office Department announced Friday. Parcels mailed by Nov. 15th will get to Britain in time, but the former date applies strictly to all continental points. Mail which has to travel further should leave even earlier.

However, the post office asks you to start mailing your parcels immediately, because, if the overflow at the end is too great, there won't be sufficient cargo space on ships leaving around deadline dates.

To Canadian forces overseas you may send 11 pounds at 12 cents a lb. The price varies with different countries, as for example, the 11 pound parcel costing \$3 to Finland.

Gift parcels addressed to civilians in Great Britain are limited under present British import restrictions to five pounds in weight with not more than two pounds for any one article.

Gifts may not be sent more often than once a month, must be unsolicited and clearly marked as "gifts." Dutiable articles are subject to the usual customs charges in Britain.

Mallers are urged to enclose suitable items only which run no risk of breaking and damaging the parcel or the other mail. Matches, safety matches, lighter fluid or any inflammable substances are strictly prohibited.

Fresh fruit, grapes, pears or any perishable items are not appropriate for mailing. Do not include glass jars or bottles as they are likely to break and cause widespread damage and injuries to handlers.

MASSE HAS FIRST PRIZE WINNER AT HOLSTEIN CHAMPIONSHIP SHOW

E. Massee, Belleville, showed the first prize Junior Yearling Bull at the fourth annual Regional Championship Holstein Show held October 11 at Warkworth. Hunt Bros., Tweed, had the fourth prize two-year-old Heifer, and in partnership with H. J. McFarland, Picton, showed the third prize Progeny of Dam. Max Burnside, Madoc, had the sixth prize Bull Calf and Heifer Calf.

The Hastings County Herd was seventh in a class that was won by Northumberland.

AGED COUPLE HURT IN CRASH NEAR FOXBORO

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wilson, of Campbellford, aged 78 and 72 respectively, were admitted to Belleville General Hospital Thursday evening suffering from a severe shaking up and facial injuries when their auto was involved in a partial head-on collision with another car south of Foxboro, on Highway No. 14.

It was stated that Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, with another woman and a young boy, were proceeding from Belleville to their home when just at Foxboro their car collided with another being driven toward Belleville by Mr. Frank Smith, of Hoard's Station. Mr. Smith

is employed as yard man with the C.N.R. in Belleville.

Although both cars were badly wrecked neither Mr. Wilson nor his wife was seriously injured, it was stated. Mr. Smith was uninjured. Traffic officer H. Gould investigated the accident.

20,000 WAR BRIDES BROUGHT TO CANADA ABBOTT TELLS HOUSE

Defence Minister Abbott announced Friday in the Commons that 20,000 war brides and children had been repatriated to Canada and that every effort was being made to complete the movement of Canadian servicemen's families to this country.



Hours of Work and Vacations with Pay Act, 1944

The Industry and Labour Board which administers The Hours of Work and Vacations with Pay Act, considers, in view of the termination of hostilities and the cancellation of war production, the acute manpower shortage which existed during the war years will be minimized, therefore the postponement as to working hours previously provided shall be cancelled and effective November 1st, 1945, the working hours of an employee in any industrial undertaking shall not exceed forty-eight (48) in the week.

1. Regulation 4 of Ontario Regulations 8/44 is amended by adding thereto the following subregulation:

(1a.) Notwithstanding the provisions of subregulation 1, an employer may adopt one or more overtime work periods in his industrial undertaking between the 1st day of November 1945 and the 31st day of December 1945 without a consent in writing of the Board, but the overtime shall not exceed thirty hours in the aggregate.

INDUSTRY AND LABOUR BOARD,

Department of Labour, Ontario.

Hon. Charles Daley,
Minister of Labour.



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PLANNING for TOMORROW'S FARMING

CANADA'S FUTURE IN BACON

By: W. P. Watson, Assistant Director, Livestock Branch, Ontario Department of Agriculture, Toronto

(NOTE—This is the fourth in a series of comments by well-known authorities, written expressly for the Weekly Press of Ontario).

During the past five years the production possibilities of Canada's vast agricultural resources have been amply demonstrated to the whole world. In response to a universal demand for food, farm production in this Dominion has increased to the point where 40% of the gross output must be marketed abroad in order to maintain a stable industry at home. This increased production has added materially to the national income, hence it is desirable that it be maintained. Maintaining it means finding markets for that product which is not required in Canada. There is little need for apprehension regarding our ability to find markets, while Europe lies prostrate and destitute. After that unhappy continent has experienced a few normal crops, Canadian agriculture may again be confronted with the difficult problem of coping with surpluses.

In a well-planned economy attention should be focused on those products which have a special adaption to Canadian conditions. Hogs rank high in the list of products that have a national significance. They form an "integral part of the production program" on 100,000 Ontario farms. Western farmers who still retain unhappy memories of the early 1930's and the uncertainties associated with a one-crop system of farming are not likely to forsake hog production entirely in the days to come.

If there is any merit in the old maxim "one good turn deserves another," Canada's position in the British bacon market should be secure. When the Baltic countries were invaded Canadian farmers met the challenge by producing hogs in sufficient numbers to compensate for a large portion of the deficit so created. For this magnificent performance the people of Britain are eternally grateful. Nevertheless they cannot be expected to continue purchasing large quantities of our bacon unless it is as good as the product available elsewhere. Moreover it must be shipped to that market in regular quantities and not seasonally as in the past.

Canada lost the British market after the last war because her bacon was inferior to that supplied by most competitors. Vast improvement has been made in the last ten years but the average quality is still lower than pre-war Danish. Quality may be improved through the use of better breeding stock, feeding properly balanced rations and marketing hogs at the most desirable weight. A number of Canadian farmers are consistently marketing hogs grading over 70% A's, as a result of strict observance of these principles. Others would do well to copy their methods.

If Canada loses the British market a second time, continuity of supply will be a vital factor. Bacon shipments can be levelled out from month to month by proper organization of cold storage facilities but that will not solve the problem of fluctuations in production from year to year. For example, reduced hog marketings are now in prospect largely because grain can be sold at profitable prices, a situation that is likely to continue until Europe's immediate needs are met.

If hog producers reduce their production because of this temporary condition they are simply paving a route over which other countries can enter the British market. Once that market is lost, Canada's only hope of regaining it is by underselling her competitors, a practice which sharply cuts the profit in hog production in this country.

Hogs must become a stable crop on those farms equipped to produce them, otherwise producers will find themselves in the same position as before the war. It should always be remembered that our competitors will discipline themselves severely in order to achieve their objectives. Perhaps we should pursue a more steadfast course now, lest indifference or fear of over-production cost us the market.

In looking to the future it appears obvious that hog production must occupy an important position on Canadian farms if farm income is to be maintained at a high level. Governments realize the necessity of increasing trade, hence will strive to obtain satisfactory markets through negotiations and trade agreements. These markets can be held only when producers realize their responsibility and act accordingly. Stable production of a high-quality product at a low cost

men, Dominion Experimental Station, Kentville, N.S. Many of these birds could have been removed from the flock at an earlier date, with considerable saving in feed, labor and housing space.

There are three particular periods when this can be done conveniently. The first culling should be as day-olds when all small, poorly developed chicks should be disposed of without any hesitation. During the brooding period there will always be some stunted chicks which apparently have not the ability to utilize their feed to advantage. These should be removed as they appear.

When the pullets are being put out on range there is an opportunity to handle the pullets individually. Considerable saving will result if all small pullets and those lacking in pigment of the yellow leg varieties, are taken out.

The third and most rigid culling should take place when the birds are being housed for the winter. Many are put into the laying house that should be marketed for meat, thus saving months of useless feeding, as well as affecting a reduction in the future mortality of the flock.

A considerable proportion of adult mortality is not the result of faulty management in the laying house, but rather dates back in most cases to

faulty incubation, brooding and rearing, or poor stock. The sooner these faults are recognized by the producer, and rectified, the greater will be the saving.

CHOOSING A CORN HYBRID

The success that a farmer has with hybrid corn depends to a great extent upon the care with which he chooses his hybrid or hybrids for seedling. In the case of corn hybrids the importance of adaptation cannot be emphasized too strongly, says C. G. Mortimore, Dominion Experimental Station, Harrow, Ont.

Individual corn hybrids vary greatly in yield, maturity, strength of stalk, leafiness and other characters. Two important considerations should be yield and maturity in the case of both grain and ensilage. Both of these characteristics of any one hybrid vary under different soil and climate conditions.

The tendency has been to grow late maturing hybrids in order to obtain the slightly higher yields of grain. However, this is a dangerous practice because in unfavourable seasons it will result in the harvesting of immature corn which provokes storage problems and in the lowering of the grade. Growers should choose hybrids which will ripen properly in

their district and produce good yields of high quality grain. If planting is delayed beyond the normal planting time, seed of an earlier hybrid should be used rather than taking a chance on a full-season hybrid.

For ensilage purposes it is not necessary for corn to reach full maturity. Nevertheless, ensilage of highest quality is only produced from corn which has developed to the dough stage. Maturity should receive considerable attention along with yield of fodder, leafiness, strength of stalk, etc., when selecting a hybrid for ensilage.

Local adaption is very important in hybrid corn and so no general recommendations can be made. Growers who are not familiar with the differ-

ent hybrids may obtain information by writing or visiting their nearest Experimental Station or Agricultural Representative.

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Waiker, Minister
Sunday, October 21st, 1945
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Service withdrawn.
West Huntingdon Anniversary
11.00 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Rev. A. N. Reid, of Colborne, guest
preacher. Special music.

Rawdon Circuit
Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., B.D.
Minister

Sunday, October 21st, 1945

11.00 a.m.—Wellmans.
p.30 p.m.—Bethel.
7.30 p.m.—Mt. Pleasant

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. A. M. Laverty, Minister
Sunday, October 21st, 1945
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
Anniversary Services
11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
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Sunday, October 21st, 1945

10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
Speaker:
Mr. A. R. McConkey of St.
Thomas, Ont.

Mount Pleasant

L.A.C. and Mrs. Percy White
Honoured

On Monday evening, October 15th, the Mount Pleasant people and several visitors gathered at Mt. Pleasant United Church and tendered L.A.C. Percy White and his bride a shower. Percy was married in June and has been stationed in Prince Edward Island and is now enjoying a furlough with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. E. White.

Rev. T. F. Townsend was master of ceremonies and he with Mrs. Townsend led in a round of community singing, using "Church in the woodland" and other selections.

Miss Doris Sine read "The Perfect Housekeeper"; Mrs. Edgar McKeown

sang, "Smilin' Through", with Mrs. John Holmes as accompanist.

Mrs. Sid Demorest read a poem on "Friendship"; Mrs. Will Jeffs delighted with a guitar selection and a vocal number.

Rev. and Mrs. Townsend contributed a vocal duet and the latter gave a reading. Mrs. Arthur Phillips read a humorous poem. The Misses Lois Weaver and Ruth Rose with Mrs. Ken Weaver as accompanist rendered a vocal duet.

Mrs. Percy McMullen recited "Wives", by special request.

Percy and Helen were given seats of honour. Mr. Don Johnson read an address of appreciation on behalf of those present and this was signed by Burton Sharp, Ross Jeffs, George Young, Mac Sharp, Don Johnson, Harry Couch and Angus Johnston.

Mr. James Hoard made the presentation of a purse of money and a few gifts from relatives.

Percy and Helen both graciously

thanked their friends for the pleasant evening arranged in their honour and when they are settled in their new home at Brantford, they hope to purchase piece of furniture with the contents of the purse.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hoard attended the funeral of their cousin, Mr. Walter Carr, in Picton, on Saturday.

Mr. Frank Spencer had the misfortune to fracture his ankle last Thursday.

L.A.C. Percy White, of Prince Edward Island and Mrs. White, of Paris, Ontario, spent a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White. Percy returns in a few days to his depot in Prince Edward Island where he expects to get his discharge soon from the R.C.A.F.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Royce, Guelph, spent a few days last week with Mrs. John Reid and family.

The Young People's Union at Mount Pleasant held an executive meeting at the Allan School. The first meeting will be held next week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Jeffs.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Sharp, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sharp and Keith and Mr. Gerald Sharp, Frankford; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sharp, Hoards; Mr. Geo. Stone and children, Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McKeown, Bethel, attended the shower Monday evening in honour of L.A.C. and Mrs. Percy White.

On Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Carleton Potts and Mr. Ernest White sang a duet at Mount Pleasant.

Several members of Mount Pleasant community collected various articles for relief in Europe and this will be of benefit to needy folk across the ocean.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Phillips attended the funeral of the late Richard McKeown at Campbellford on Saturday afternoon.

A number of Mount Pleasant people attended Salem Anniversary on Sunday, when Rev. L. Shorten, of Foxboro was guest minister.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Johnson attended a community gathering at Foxboro Monday evening, in honour of Mrs. Johnson's brother, Mr. E. Hollinger.

Several folk attended Burnbrae anniversary on Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. T. F. Townsend attended the 75th anniversary of Grace Street Church, Trenton, on Sunday evening.

On Monday evening about eleven p.m. over thirty folk of the fourth line gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White and tendered Percy and his wife a noisy charivari. All were invited in and enjoyed a treat of salted peanuts, pop corn, cake, prune plums and grapes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sine and Doris attended Anniversary at their old home church at Salem and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Sine and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hobert and Pauline, of Moira, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Spencer.

Pte. Ormel MacMullen has recently enjoyed a ten-day leave to Scotland where he visited at Edinburgh, Aberdeen, Dundee and spent five days with Mr. and Mrs. D. Kiddie at Forfar. Mr. Kiddie is the father of Mr. David Kiddie, of Moose Creek, Ontario and Dave was well-known at Mount Pleasant during the years he resided in our midst.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer entertained for Thanksgiving, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spencer and Marion, Mr. and Mrs. George Rowe and Mrs. R. Ashbury, Toronto.

Mrs. Harry Rowe, Mrs. H. Landon and Miss Margaret Guernsey, of Campbellford.

BURNBRAE

Burnbrae Presbyterian Church held their Anniversary Services on Sunday, October 14th. Rev. J. Goforth Hornsby, of Belleville, had charge of both morning and evening services and brought stirring messages to large congregations. Special music

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STIRLING

was given by the regular choir assisted by Messrs. Murray and Gordon McKejohn, of Rylestone. A generous offering was much appreciated.

Rev. Goforth Hornsby was entertained at the home of Rev. and Mrs. McKay, on Sunday.

Mrs. Peter McKejohn and her brother, Mr. Anson Connor, of Campbellford, Mrs. Longwell and her son, Ronald, of Foxboro, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Taylor, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hagerman spent Sunday at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, leaving on Monday for their home in Toronto. Mr. Hagerman has accepted a position with the Imperial Oil Company in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Heath and Donald, were guests on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Waiker.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson were very sorry to hear of their accident on Thursday of last week. We are pleased to report an improvement in their condition at going to press.

Mr. Dave Payne recently returned from service overseas has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hay.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of William Thomas Wannamaker, late of the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, Gentleman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section 56 of the Trustee Act, R.S.O. 1937, Chap. 165, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of William Thomas Wannamaker, who died on or about the 6th day of June, 1945, at Stirling, are required on or before the 20th day of November, 1945, to send by post, prepaid or deliver to E. Ormonde Butler, Solicitor for the executors of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian names and surnames, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars in writing of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after such last mentioned date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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MEIKLEJOHN — At Campbellford Hospital, on Sunday, October 7th, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Granville Meiklejohn, of Springbrook, a daughter.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dowdell (nee Myrtle Kirkey), wish to thank friends and neighbours of Harold, Shannonville, Kingsford, and Belleville, for the lovely gifts which we received on our recent marriage. 5-1p

WELLMANS

Mission Band Meeting

The meeting opened with "Hear the Pennies Dropping", followed by the 23 Psalm. Doris Dunham read the Scripture Lesson, which was followed by a reading by Patsy Pollock. Mrs. Morton read a story and Glenn Watson took up the collection. The meeting closed with "What a Friend We Have in Jesus", followed by the Mizpah Benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Graham and family, spent Sunday with Mr. Robert Macklin, of Rice Lake.

Mrs. Paul Sharp returned home after spending two weeks' visit with friends at Belleville and Trenton.

Quite a number from here attended Roseneath Fair on Friday last.

Several from Wellman's attended Burnbrae Anniversary on Sunday.

Mrs. Celestine Snarr, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. George Watson, it being the occasion of her eighty-fifth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleophas Dayman, Peterboro, Mrs. Harry Morgan and Freddie, also Mr. Wm. Mulligan, Bob Caygeon took tea Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton.

Miss Ana English, of Belleville, took tea Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Watson.

Miss Hazel Dunham spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Seeley, of Bonarlaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd King and Yvonne, spent the week-end with relatives at Belleville.

Mrs. Russel Johnson and Miss Fay Fleming, took tea Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton and family.

MADOC JUNCTION

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reid and children, were guests on Sunday of Mrs. S. Coulter, Chapman Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Stapley arrived home from their honeymoon on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson S. Stapley entertained Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow, June White, also Mr. Everett Lake, of Rawdon for dinner Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stapley, Stirling, Mrs. Warren Harlow attended Fuller Anniversary services on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nelson and Linda, of Dartford, were dinner guests on Sunday of Miss Helen McMullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Honey, Sandra and Clarice; Mrs. Nellie White, of Dartford, were dinner guests on Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Harlow.

Mrs. Grills and children, of Frankford, spent a few days last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Stapley.

Miss Keisha Stapley, Reg. N., returned to Toronto last week after having spent the last few months holidaying with her parents here.

Several from here attended Roseneath Fair last Friday.

Mrs. George Eggleton, of Belleville, spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. Harlow.

Mrs. Ross, of Foxboro is spending this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Lansing.

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WALTER T. ELLIOTT
STIRLING
ONTARIO

Pte. Lawrence Wilson, of Vancouver, B.C., is spending a furlough at the hospital, Kingston, spent Thanksgiving weekend with his parents here.

GROCERY FEATURES

Libby's Prepared MUSTARD	6 oz. jar 9¢
Heinz—All Varieties BABY FOOD	3 5 oz. 25¢
Domino BAKING POWDER	8 oz. tin 10¢
Quick or Plain ROLLED OATS	3 lbs. 13¢
Quick or Regular CREAM OF WHEAT	14 oz. pkg. 13¢
Richmello COFFEE	1/4 lb. 18¢ lb. 35¢
Fry's COCOA	8 oz. tin 19¢ 16 oz. tin 31¢
Red Label RED ROSE TEA	8 oz. pkg. 37¢
Harry Horne's CUSTARD POWDER	16 oz. tin 25¢
Kraft DINNER	Serves 4 8 oz. pkg. 17¢
Saxonia Ctd. MIXED PEEL	8 oz. pkg. 15¢ 16 oz. pkg. 27¢
Monarch Pastry FLOUR	7 lb. 29¢ 24 lb. bag 84¢
Quaker XXXX BREAD FLOUR	24 lb. 69¢

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Bottle

Aunt Jemima PANCAKE FLOUR 20 oz. 13¢
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Alvmer SOUPS Tomato or Vegetable 2 10 oz. 15¢
tins

Clarke's Cream of MUSHROOM SOUP 2 10 oz. 15¢
tins

Kraft or Chateau CHEESE 8 oz. 19¢
pkg.

OVALTINE Children Love It 16 oz. jar 98¢

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Solex 25, 40, 60- Watt each 15¢

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Questions and ? Answers

This column is sponsored by the Regional Office, Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Questions on price control, ration regulations and other Wartime Prices and Trade Board rulings should be mailed to the Information Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, Victoria Building, Brockville, Ontario.

Q. My husband has just returned from overseas and is getting his discharge. Can he get his coupons for sugar for canning? I have some fruit on hand and could use them?

A. If he is discharged before Oct. 31st and applies for a ration book on or before that date, he may secure his coupons for sugar for canning. The coupons allowed give you ten pounds of sugar.

Q. I am going to start a chicken farm, do I need a W.P.T.B. license for this?

A. No, unless you would be purchasing poultry for re-sale. You would be classified as a primary producer and would not require a license.

Q. I own a house in a small town and am now planning on renting this. Must I have the rental rate fixed by the Price Board?

A. Definitely. You should contact the rentals officer at the nearest local office of the Board.

Q. I have been building up a herd of cows and am just starting to make butter in some quantity. Are there any Prices Board regulations regarding this?

A. Yes. You must register with the local ration board in your district, as a primary producer. You will be given a registration card RB-164. You are required to report once a month showing the amount of butter used in your household, and the amount of butter sold. You detach the butter coupons that have become valid during the month, and return these to the Board for the amount of butter consumed in the household.

Q. I took a pair of my husband's shoes in the other day to have new full soles put on them. The shoemaker said this wasn't allowed by the W.P.T.B. Is this correct?

A. No. Restrictions regarding the use of full leather soles have been lifted by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Shoe repairers are now permitted to use full leather soles.

Q. Are blouses displayed in stores supposed to have a price tag in evidence?

A. A blouse which is on display in a store window need not have a price tag in evidence, but if this garment or a similar one is shown to a customer or on display in the store the garment must be price tagged where it may be easily read by the customer.

Q. Are canned peas under a price ceiling?

A. Yes. Prices for canned peas vary, however, as to grade and from region to region. This has always been the case.

Q. My grocer has been selling cabbages by the head. I thought they should be sold by the pound.

A. A grocer may sell cabbages by the head, however, the maximum price charged must be computed on basis of weight.

What Others Say!

TROUBLE IS RIGHT!

Unemployment was the rock on which the Bennett government founded, notwithstanding Mr. Bennett's loud talk that he would end unemployment and hack his way into the markets of the world. The present situation is not bright notwithstanding Mr. Howe's statement that there are two jobs open for every applicant. Men must live and if these jobs won't pay a living wage, it doesn't matter how many jobs there are for each applicant. After the experiences of wartime there should be no question of full-employment and comfortable incomes. If the Government persists in its present policy, it is storing up trouble for itself.

—Petrolia Advertiser-Topic

TOO MUCH VISITING

A doctor in Toronto writes to the press condemning the practice of sending flowers to patients in hospitals saying it takes up valuable time of the nurses in caring for them. The superintendent of an Ottawa hospital, visiting Port Arthur some time ago, said the average stay of patients in hospitals would be reduced one or two days if unnecessary visits from friends were eliminated.

—Port Arthur News-Chronicle

CONSUMER HAS RIGHTS

Demands for increased wages are spreading through Canada like an epidemic as one of the aftermaths of the war, and fears are now being ex-

pressed that it will be difficult for Prices and Trade Board officials to keep the prices of commodities stabilized within the reach of the masses.

But in all this postwar tumult the consumer as well as the producer has a right to be considered. General increases in prices have never made anybody better off, but have more often tended to create unemployment and economic depression.

We only have to look back to the days after the last war for our examples.

—Peterborough Examiner

PROVINCIAL ORGANIZATION TO BE FORMED

At a meeting of representatives of the nineteen County Agricultural Committees organized in old Ontario under the legislation passed at the 1944 session of the Ontario Legislature, held in Toronto yesterday, steps were taken to create a provincial organization of these committees, to be known as the Ontario Association of County Agricultural Committees. Hon. Thomas L. Kennedy, Minister of Agriculture, threw out the suggestion that such an organization could act as a co-ordinating body, and also as a clearing house for information and ideas concerning projects for the benefit of Ontario agriculture generally. After welcoming this suggestion and deciding to act upon it, the meeting elected the following as the first officers of the new Association:

Hon. President—Col. the Hon. Thomas L. Kennedy.

President—W. E. Breckon, Halton County.

1st Vice-President—H. S. Arkell, Carleton County.

2nd Vice-President—John Wilcox, Essex County.

Secretary-Treasurer—C. D. Graham, Toronto.

Executive Committee:—Arnold Darroch, Wellington County; Wilfred Spencer, Hastings County and J. W. Pawley, Peel County.

RUN OVER BY WAGON

FARMER IS KILLED

Walter C. Carr, 43-year-old farmer of Solmesville, Sophiasburg township, was fatally injured when run over by a wagon. Stepping from the wagon, the horses took fright and he fell, a wheel passing over his head. He died before being carried to the house.

Mr. Carr is survived by his wife, the former Isabel Kennedy.

The Road Ahead

By Powell Smily

A very good example of the manner in which a group of veterans can combine for the greater good of all concerned is supplied by the Tilbury brothers. There are four of them altogether, the sons of Mr. and Mrs. H. Tilbury, of Hamilton, Ontario; although one, Ken, being in the regular navy, does not enter the picture. The other three have pooled their gratuities, credits, war savings, and other resources, and are in business for themselves.

Harry Leads Off

The oldest of the trio, Harry, ex-sub-lieutenant, RCN, was the organizer of this family cooperative scheme. Before the war, Harry spent four years with a large electrical manufacturing company, and would have been welcomed back by that firm. However, he felt that there would be greater opportunities for him and his brothers in striking out on their collective own, so he went to the other two with his proposal. That is, he wrote to them, because at the time the idea first came to him, the others were separated from him by a couple of oceans. Bob, a flight-sergeant with the RCAF, was in England doing radar work. He is an expert in electronics, having assisted in the installation of radar stations all the way from Florida to Goose Bay, Labrador. Flight-Lieutenant Bill Tilbury was flying with Transport Command of the R.A.F. and was based in India.

Open for Business

The brothers immediately agreed that Harry's plan was sound, and gave him written permission to proceed with the necessary arrangements. As a result, the three, now together again, have opened a hardware and radio repair shop in Hamilton. Harry is the expert on general electrical problems. Bob looks after the radio end, and Ken is the store manager.

The boys do not intend to limit themselves to selling shovels and condensers. Harry has a revolutionary conception of what electrical maintenance should mean, which he will put into practice as soon as equipment is available. He thinks that there is a very real need, in the Hamilton industrial set-up for a firm which will contract to service and maintain small machine shops. He believes that the "ounce of prevention adage can have a commercial application."

Service Their Motto

Harry says: "Most small shops, employing up to a couple of hundred men, keep a maintenance man on the payroll. In most cases he is listed as an electrician, but generally he is just barely able to change a light bulb.

Ash him about such things as power factor or line load, and he'll think you're giving him double talk. Well, we can provide the answer to that problem. For a set yearly fee, we'll guarantee to keep the shop electrically serviced, so that the manufacturer won't have his schedules disrupted by unnecessary shut-downs. We also will advise him on electrical installations, and you'd be surprised how many small employers need such advice."

Harry went on to explain that some manufacturers, finding that an increase in orders required the addition of another motor, simply hooked one into the circuit. This took care of their immediate power needs, but it also had a detrimental effect not always appreciated by the owner. By overloading the intake lines, he was simultaneously decreasing the overall efficiency of his plant and also laying himself open to being fined by the Hydro, for exceeding the specified current consumption.

"That is where we can help," Harry points out. "We can estimate the electrical load required to run the shop, and also give the man's entire wiring system a thorough examination—and overhauling, if necessary. On top of that, we have a plan which will eliminate the necessary for a plant's shutting down at all when a motor burns out. How? I'm afraid that's our secret."

FINE OF \$2,000 FOR RAISING PRICE OF MEALS

"Deliberate flouting of a measure designed to save this country from inflation," commented a Windsor, Ontario, magistrate last week when he imposed a \$2,000 fine on the operator of a dining room who had been found guilty of raising the price of meals and refreshments.

According to the Prices Board's weekly summary of prosecutions 78 persons were sentenced for violating price ceiling regulations.

In Toronto, fines up to \$800 were imposed on persons who had violated used car price ceilings. Penalties of \$1,000 were imposed on offenders of food rationing laws.



THE MIXING BOWL
BY Anne Allan
HYDRO HOME ECONOMIST

Hello, Homemakers! Apples are too often overlooked as salad ingredients. In addition to the well-known Waldorf salad—diced apples, chopped celery, nuts and mayonnaise, they may be diced and mixed with raw grated carrots and raisins.

You might also try diced apples mixed with diced cantaloupe, sliced peaches and maraschino cherries, served on lettuce with French dressing.

Mrs. J. T. asks: Recipe for Macaroni Mousse.

Macaroni Mousse—1 cup macaroni in 1-inch lengths, 1 1/2 cups scalded milk, 1 cup soft bread crumbs, 3 tbsps. butter (melted), 1 green pepper (minced), 1 pimento (minced), 1 tbsp. chopped parsley, 2 tbsps. chopped onion, 1 tsp. salt, 1 1/2 tsp. paprika, 1 1/2 cup grated cheese, 3 eggs, well beaten.

Boil the macaroni in salted water until tender, drain and put into a buttered baking dish. While the macaroni is cooking prepare the sauce as follows: Pour the scalded milk over the bread crumbs, and add the butter, seasonings and the grated cheese. Stir in the well-beaten eggs and pour over the macaroni. Set the baking dish in a pan of boiling water and bake 40 mins. in an electric oven 325 degs. Serve turn out on a platter and garnish with parsley.

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The Girl of The Double R

By Betty Blockinger

CHAPTER I

The little depot was a yellow patch in a round tan prairie rug. Ralph Rowland looked to the jagged peak of Old Nopoco and found it shrouded in mist, then looked down at the girl beside him.

Cute trick, this kid sister of his. Took town clothes like the blue outfit she was wearing to make him remember she wasn't a younger brother. Seeing her now, a man wouldn't think she could manage a ranch.

"Look, Rusty," he grumbled, "you go along back. There's a storm gathering, and that's no horse you've got tethered there."

Rosalynn (Rusty) Rowland looked at her battered car, then up at her brother. "Won't shy at lightning," she told him.

"Nope," agreed Ralph. "Neither will it pick its way across a dip if you get yourself caught in a freshet."

Rusty shook her head. Here Ralph was heading for a battle with the Nips or the Nazis, and worrying himself over her heading back to the ranch.

"And keep away from Decker," he ordered. "He may be a Gene Autry in looks, but I wouldn't trust him—Deferment!" he added with scorn—"him with a bullet wound in his leg. Say, if I'd been on the working end of the rifle, he'd've been wounded where he's weak, in the head."

Rusty bridled a little. Decker wasn't so bad. He couldn't help being handsome.

"And keep an eye on Mammy," continued Ralph. "Don't let him go breaking broncos before the boys have had a hand at them. And—oh, oh, here she comes."

He would say that, thought Rusty. Perhaps all of the travellers in the world would say, "Here she comes," when a train was first sighted.

"Meant what I said about Decker," Ralph reminded her. "He is land hungry. Marrying you, with me out stopping bullets, would be doubling his holdings."

"Intimating no man would have me for myself?" she flashed.

He folded her into his long arms

that expressed what he couldn't say, and then the train slid in.

The train diminished in size until it was a black oblong on the darkening tan of the prairie. She was alone; never had she felt so alone.

"But this is idiotic," she reasoned. "Alone, with a ranch full of cowhands, with an Uncle Jed, a mother, and a kid brother equal to a dozen?"

She dabbed at her eyes and turned. There was no use kidding herself. She was alone until Ralph returned—if he did. Her father was dead. Jed, her father's brother, believed in the old law of the West—a bullet, preferably from the hip. Her mother was of little value in executive matters.

And Manuel, who took his leads from radio dramas, was a never-ending source of dismay.

"And in the meantime," Rusty said, "There's a storm on in the Nopocos."

The car was old, but trustworthy. Rusty, hands on the wheel, let it have its way. More time for thought. She'd ride the line on the morrow, take the south line first, the next day the west. It would take her a week to ride the lines of the Rowland Ranch, the Double R.

The Rowland ranch lay on the prairie at the foot of the Nopoco range, its southern flank lifting and spreading into the mysteries of the sharp rise where they summered stock not sent on to feeders for fattening.

Rusty's thoughts were interrupted as a cloud of dust appeared in her rear-view mirror.

"No one but Ladue Decker rides like that," she thought as the cloud grew larger.

"Whew," she murmured as a speeding car approached and whizzed past her. "It wasn't Ladue. He'd have recognized Old Faithful. Must be someone trying to beat the freshets."

The car proceeded until Rusty saw a sign ahead. "Dip, three hundred feet," read the sign.

She crossed that and continued on for a stretch of five miles to where a second sign warned of another "dip."

Here a wider channel was running with muddy water, a thin sheet of it.

Anxiously she looked south to the mountain range. As yet the sky above was clear. Only the faintest haze seemed filmimg the blueness of its arc.

"Oh, well," she thought, and considered the cartons filling the tonneau and luggage carrier. Such a storm as this would not keep the dips impassable for more than twelve hours. She could live for a week from the canned goods she was carrying.

Ahead of her, the road swerved sharply. She rounded the curve to find her passage blocked by a car. Scanning the broad expanse of sand, was a slender figure in high boots, breeches and a stockman's hat.

"Hello," she called.

He came toward her swiftly, and she had an impression of impatience, of nervous energy under leash. His hat was swept from his head as he approached, and she wanted to laugh. The man and that lock of red hair loping over his brow were at such variance.

"Am I on the right road, if this is a road, to the Four D. Ranch?" he asked.

ed.

"This is a road," laughed Rusty, "and the right one for Decker's."

A few miles later the haze thickened and the Nopocos were hidden from view by storm clouds.

"Here's where I change into something seaworthy."

She climbed into the tonneau of the car. There she changed her clothes, donning boots, breeches, flannel shirt, a high-crowned hat.

Swiftly now she sent the old car hurtling along. If she could cross the Big Sandy, she could make a run for home.

There was no sign of the other car on the long flat stretch ahead. The land broke away abruptly, going down in terraces, grooved by other rains, until it came to the big dip. The Big Sandy was filling rapidly, its three-quarter of a mile stretch a seething mass of muddy water and debris.

But where was the stranger? He couldn't have crossed.

She'd go back to the top rise and look downstream. That mound of earth the road crews had thrown up blocked her vision.

The old car groaned its protest as she started to back. Then, Rusty heard a voice.

"Hello up there. Give me a hand, will you?"

Having braked Old Faithful, Rusty was out of the car and speeding downhill. She rounded the mound and came upon a sight that brought a burst of laughter from her lips.

"Well?" demanded the weird figure below.

Gone was the meticulous appearance of the stranger. Thigh deep in muddy water, the only mark of identification Rusty had was the lock of hair now hanging limp across his muddy brow.

A second glance, this time at the car, told what had happened. Its driver had driven into the Big Sandy at full speed, and there the car had skidded, slithering around the mound to come to a lopsided rest.

"If you've a rope—" began the stranger, and as Rusty nodded, "Well, hop to it. A break for me you came along instead of that fresh schoolgirl I met near the highway turn-off."

Rusty's mouth opened, then closed, and swiftly she spun about to race up the mound and teeter down the other side. She could let the creature stay in Big Sandy.

Rope, crowbar and a length of chain, culled from the ever-ready emergency box of the car chest, and Rusty made her laborious way back to the stranger.

"Tie the rope around the off wheel hub," she ordered, "hook the chain to your rear bumper, then put this crowbar under the river side of the front axle and heave when I honk."

Rusty handed the stranger a tin cup of coffee bound by a strip of flannel to protect his fingers.

One deep draught and he smiled at her. "If you've never been wet and chilled, you know how good these clothes feel and this coffee tastes. Do you always travel prepared for hard-headed wayfarers?"

"We're not that altruistic," she replied, "but we do travel prepared to take care of ourselves. Oh-oh, here she comes. You grab the beans and I'll take the coffee...Get into my car."

A vivid shaft of lightning struck so close to the car the vehicle shuddered from the vibration of thunder that clapped instantaneously.

"Didn't have your number on it," remarked the stranger. "By the way, my name is Herb."

"Mine's Rosalynn," she obliged, "but they call me Rusty for obvious reasons."

For a little while the storm made conversation impossible. Rusty, through the gloom, watched the Big Sandy spread in white-frothed waves which lapped ever higher.

Calmly she watched and considered. They'd have to spend the night here, of course. There was an old horse blanket in the tool box. She could use that. The poncho would keep "Herb" comparatively comfortable.

She thought nothing of spending the dark hours with a stranger. She thought nothing of it until Herb spoke.

"You'd have given shelter to any stranger you met out here?"

The suddenly round eyes which met his answered him. "What else could one do?"

"But suppose I—suppose he—well, suppose the person wasn't altogether—"

"We don't have that kind out here," she interposed confidently.

The stranger's feet swung to the doubtful firmness of the tonneau bed filled with potatoes.

"My dear young lady, the chivalrous West is gone—hasn't anyone told you that? Have you no idea of the infiltration of thugs and gangsters and—"

"I suppose some have slipped in," she agreed. "But goodness, with the nearest town eighty miles away, the nearest city one hundred and fifty—"

"You've driven those miles today, haven't you? Well, then, couldn't they?"

"They'd have to have a better standing with the ration board than I have," sighed Rusty. "from now on it's horseflesh and saddle bags."

"They," he snapped, "wouldn't depend upon rationed gasoline. Have you ever heard of black marketing?"

"But why would gangsters waste even black-market gasoline to drive out into this country where they have nothing to gain?" she asked reasonably.

He either had no answer to that one or he was weighing it carefully. When she looked back, he seemed to be doing. Warmed, made secure, he was like all men—he dozed off, letting answers to pertinent questions hang in the air.

The storm seemed a thing of the past. The steady thrum of rain on the car roof had softened until only a few drops were striking. And the clouds were breaking to let the low-hung stars of the prairie shine through.

A deep furrow dented Rusty's brow. It would be cold tonight. She should be at the ranch to prod the hands into an extra round of the young and the weaklings. Sudden changes like this could erase the profit from a ranch in one night.

"I'd better take a look at the ignition on my car," came from the tonneau.

Rusty was instantly alert. "I'll hold a flash for you," she said.

They went to the coupe, where Herb worked long and thoughtfully over the engine, Rusty swinging her bull flash to his command.

"Mind stepping in and trying the starter?" he said.

She sat in the deep, soft seat. Her eyes widened as she saw soft, doe-skin gloves, man's size, lying on the seat. Now why, she wondered, plugging the toe of her boot to the starter, would such a he-man as this wear gloves?

The registration card was tied to the wheel rod in such a way she could see no more than the name Herbert. Should she make some excuse and lean forward, slip around to where the dial light would enable her to read everything?

"All right"—he'd closed the hood down—"a little drying, and she'll be as good as new."

He had come to the side of the car as he spoke. Slowly Rusty opened the door, slowly swung her boots out, and then stepped down—stepped into the arms of the stranger.

The white stars seemed frozen to the sky; then they were blotted out. Rusty's heart seemed frozen with fear; then it beat madly.

(To Be Continued)

WOMEN TAKE PLACE
OF HORSES

In a desperate effort to get in a bit of crop this past spring old men and women in Europe harnessed themselves to plows and plowed their fields.

Even at night—with their land still deadly with live mines it was well nigh impossible to get much land sown.

Added to these hardships was the fact that most of the people were weak from long hunger and couldn't do a day's work—let alone drag a plow.

With all the help they can give themselves, European people looking toward the coming winter, are filled with fear and dismay.

Worst sufferers will be Holland and Italy, but France and Greece will also suffer. 50 per cent of Holland's best lands are under sea water. Just 17 days before the German surrender they blew the dykes flooding the polder of Kleringmeer, 48,000 acres of the best land in Holland. In some places the water is 60 feet deep. In this flooding more than 8,000 once happy prosperous people were made homeless and destitute.

In many parts of Europe already starving and disease are not a threat but a reality. There is no definite assurance that the Allies will be able to handle the huge relief problems.

Since so many of Europe's needs are in short supply here, the issue at stake is whether we are prepared to spare meats and fish, fats and oils and dairy products. Wheat—about one-half of the estimated food needs—can be easily spared.

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The Washington Department of Agriculture estimates that continental Europe will require 12 million tons of imported food this fall, in order to prevent wide spread famine.

Colonel Llewellyn, British Food Minister—has told the British people that they will have to take in their belts. Their bacon ration has already been cut from 4 to 3 oz. per week, cooking fat to 1 oz. per week, cheese from 3 to 2 oz. with a weekly meat allowance of barely 25c worth, about 12 ounces.

He also says that no less than 100 million liberated people in Europe are in imminent danger of starvation this coming winter unless supplies are sent to them.

It will help Canadians in the weeks to come to remember these British figures, when goods are a bit scarce here.

Red Cross
Nutrition News

How to Eat Liver and Like It!

Every hour, every day, all over the world, food is being prepared to fill hungry mouths and satisfy nature's needs. Canadians, in contrast to many suffering hundreds in starving lands, are not faced with disastrous food shortages, but rather are blessed with plentiful stores of vital foods with which to plan nourishing meals.

Many homemakers are learning new tricks with the meats on the market and morsels of good eating are being discovered in the oft-disdained variety of organ meats. With the removal of these meats from the ration list, there will likely be a trend towards kidney stews and liver dishes—a happy state for the dinner table.

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BONAR LAW

The regular meeting of St. Mark's Young People's Association was held in the parish hall on Tuesday of this week with a splendid attendance. The guest speaker was Rev. J. M. Brown.

lie, the Rector of the Parish, who gave valuable information for the betterment of the society.

The meeting was in charge of Robert Cosbey, the president and Miss Frieda McLaren acted as secretary. It was decided to hold the annual Hal-

loween party on the evening of Oct. 30th, and the annual business meeting Nov. 13th.

Three group were appointed to take charge of the program and lunch in their turn at future meetings.

PETHERICKS

Mr. Carl Linn met with a painful accident on Friday evening last, when a gasoline lantern which he was filling with gas took fire burning his both hands very severely.

Mr. Cyril McKeown, cheesemaker at Crowe Bay, has accepted a position as maker at Wellar's Bay factory.

The Women's Association of Zion United Church met in the hall last Wednesday afternoon to quilt and pack boxes of clothing for the needy in Europe. Six quilts and a large amount of clothing was given.

A church supper will be held in Sentinel Hall, on Monday evening next, in honor of the returned soldiers whose names appear on the Church Honor Roll.

ALLAN'S MILLS

Miss Joyce Ray, of Peterboro, spent the week-end with Mrs. Wellman.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Burkitt, Cpl. Elton Hubble visited friends at Cee Hill, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morrow, of Peterboro; Mr. and Mrs. A. Thomson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred McKeown and Mrs. Sarah McKeown, on Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Wellman and Lynda are visiting Mrs. Kew, and family, of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Walker, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Wellman and family.

Rflm D. Wellman spent Sunday with Rflm and Mrs. F. McArthur.

Entered Into Rest

JOHN DUNCAN

Following a brief illness, John Duncan, of Toronto, a former resident of Stirling, passed away in St. Michael's Hospital, on Saturday last, in his 83rd year. Surviving are his widow, formerly Maria Fox, three sons, William and John, of Toronto, and Arthur of Batawa; and one daughter, Mabel, at home.

The funeral took place on Tuesday from the Sheridan Funeral Home, with service being conducted by Rev. McLeod, assisted by Dr. F. A. Robinson, Rev. R. J. Koffend, Dr. Albert Hughes and Capt. Rev. Walter Hughes.

Interment in Scarborough Lawn Cemetery.

JAS. W. HAGGERTY

James W. Haggerty, Treasurer for the County of Hastings, died suddenly as the result of a heart seizure at Dunnville, Ontario Thursday afternoon. He left Belleville on Tuesday to take part in a tour of inspection with the members of the executive committee of the Ontario Good Roads Association of which he was a member and a past president. Born in Huntingdon Twp.

The late James W. Haggerty was born in Huntingdon Township on November 25th, 1869, and was in his 76th year. His parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. James Haggerty, his father being at one time a member of the Ontario Legislature for North Hastings. The greater part of his life was passed on the farm where he was born. He took a keen interest in township and county affairs and for six years he served as a member of the Huntingdon Township Council. In 1921 he became Reeve of the Township and as a member of the County Council he rendered valued service. He filled in an efficient manner the position of Chairman of the Provincial Highway and Purchasing Committees. He was also the county representative on the Suburban Areas Commission and was active on most of the important committees in the county council. Mr. Haggerty continued as a member of the council as a member of the council until 1926, when he was appointed to the important position of County Treasurer.

Good roads were of great interest to Mr. Haggerty and he took an active part in bringing about improved highways in the province, and was a Past President of the Ontario Good Roads Association. For ten years he was also a Director of the Ontario Municipal Association.

Elder of St. Andrew's.

Since residing in this city, Mr. Haggerty gave his support to all movements for the advancement of the city. He was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and held the office of an Elder. Fraternally he was a member of Stirling Lodge No. 69 A.F.&A.M.; Keystone Chapter, No. 72, R.A.M., and West Huntingdon Loyal Orange Lodge. He was a popular member of the Belleville Lawn Bowling Club. In the regard of many friends James Haggerty held a high place and he will be much missed.

Surviving to mourn his loss are his wife, the former Miss Essie Morton,

one son, Barton Haggerty, serving with the forces overseas; three daughters, Mrs. Roy Boske, Montreal; Miss Bernice Haggerty, teacher in Lansdowne School, Toronto, and Miss Mary Haggerty, Goose Bay, Labrador; one sister, Mrs. Charlotte Sprague, Huntingdon Township.

Funeral Monday

The high esteem in which James W. Haggerty, late treasurer for the County of Hastings, was held was evidenced by the large numbers of friends from the city, county and province who were present at his funeral which took place from his late residence, 238 Church Street, to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, on Monday afternoon. The service in the church and at Stirling Cemetery was conducted by the minister of St. Andrew's, the Rev. J. G. Hornsby.

The late Mr. Haggerty was a member of Stirling Lodge, A. F. and A. M., and the last rites of the order were conducted at graveside by Master of Ceremonies, Bro. Thomas Solmes; Wm. Master Cecil Baker, and chaplain, Bro. H. R. Tompkins.

The bearers were Messrs. Elmer Sandercock, Erle S. Denyes, W. H. Middleton, David Fleming, Simeon Fox and James Moore.

The honorary bearers were Messrs. Peter McLaren, Charles S. Rollins, W. E. Wiggins, S. B. Rollins, Walter Whytock, William C. West, Henry Larkin, Geo. Thompson, J. L. Church, W. J. Davis, Charles Rush, T. E. Fleming, Dr. S. S. Lamb, Dr. A. T. Embury, all of whom are past wardens of the

County, and J. Fred Wilson, M.P.P., the present warden; also Geo. H. Stokes, M.P.; T. J. Mahoney, secretary-treasurer, Ontario Good Roads Association; John Sibbett, Past President Ontario Good Roads Association; George Raynor of the Raynor Construction Company and Harvey Small, District Municipal Engineer of the Ontario Department of Highways. — Ontario Intelligencer.

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St. Paul's United Church Marked 92nd Milestone On Sunday

Rev. A. M. Laverty, Who
Recently Returned From
Overseas, Occupies Pulpit

Sunday, October 21st, a glorious autumn day, marked the 92nd Anniversary of St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, and special services were held both morning and evening, with appropriate music by the choir under the direction of Mr. G. L. Clute, organist. Large congregations were in attendance at both services, with friends of sister churches joining with St. Paul's in the services of Thanksgiving and re-consecration.

Rev. A. M. Laverty, who was occupying his own pulpit for the first time since joining the armed services as chaplain some three years ago, delivered two very inspiring sermons, and held the rapt attention of his audience.

Special Music

Special music arranged by Mr. G. L. Clute, as choir leader and organist, was rendered by a full choir at both services. In the morning the choir rendered the anthem, "Christ, the Morn Breaks Sweetly O'er Thee," with Mrs. Harold West and Mr. Ted Reynolds taking the solo parts, and Mr. Reynolds sang, "They Will Be Done."

At the evening service the choir rendered "Light At Eventide," with the solo parts taken by Mrs. Cecil Macklin and Mr. Ted Reynolds, and "O Worship The King," and Mrs. Harold West sang, "Hold Thou My Hand."

Morning Service

In speaking to the congregation, Rev. Mr. Laverty mentioned the fact that he had looked forward to this day for a long time. The faithfulness of his people had been more than could be anticipated. He urged those present not to forget what a great bunch of boys that Canada had sent away, and what a great bunch she is receiving back. Those of us who were together in the services held the same service sometimes under different conditions, but they were made. My fervent wish and prayer is that we do not forget them in the days to come.

For his morning sermon, he chose as his subject, "The Church Member's Job." "What I am saying to you is a result of serious thinking and prayer over what has happened to so many of us in the past few years. The Church has a job. If I did not think so, I would not have volunteered to do what I have done. I never believed in War, but the importance of the things for which the Christian Church stands.

"When we come to worship God, we are coming, not that God will remember us, but that we will remember him. He never forgets us. We forget Him in our dealings, and God helps us if we do. We come in Thanksgiving and joy for all his goodness to us, as anybody who looks back over the past six years certainly will know that He has. In 1940 Hitler could have walked into England—He did not. In 1941 he made the error of entering Russia, Why? It seemed the right thing to do. He could have cut through Egypt, but did not. When he could have rushed and got through to the Suez, he did not. When they took the men off Dunkirk, they had a calm sea and mist for hours and hours. Sinful as we are, we are still the instruments and children of God. His hand is with us in the beginning and at the end of the day."

We have God to reach a fellowship together. There are times when the individual is no use, except the hand of a friend. Friendship more than all else, and that spiritual friendship which was sustained by letters and prayers have helped loved ones over the dangerous years. In the fellowship of God's Church, we are all on an equal foundation. There is no distinction of race. We all come because we know the forgiving love of God.

We should all be more considerate of the value of other people. If we cannot overflow with love and helpfulness for those who are heavily burdened, then we are not a Christian Community, nor members in the name of Jesus Christ. Our judgment of others should not be hasty. God help (continued on page five)

Bride-To-Be Showered

On Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Gorman a surprise party and shower was held in honour of Miss Lillian Wood, a bride of early November.

On arrival of the bride-to-be she was given a seat of honour and a prettily decorated wagon, drawn by Master Tommy Gorman in fancy costume, and loaded with many beautiful gifts, was placed before her. After the opening of the gifts, the evening was spent in cards and singing. A dainty lunch was served by the hostess of the evening, at which time Lillian thanked all her friends for their gifts and the lovely evening.

On Wednesday evening, October 17, some twenty friends of Miss Wood gathered at the home of Mrs. Ernest Cain and presented her with a miscellaneous shower. Mrs. Ed. Gorman read the accompanying address and the evening was spent in cards and social intercourse. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Rifleman David Wellman, Prisoner of War, Honoured At Springbrook

Presented With Self-Winding
Wrist Watch And Purse
of Money — Large Crowd

On Friday evening of last week about four hundred friends and neighbours of Rifleman Dave Wellman, returned Prisoner of War (Japan), gathered at the Orange Hall, Springbrook, and presented him with a self-winding wrist-watch and a purse of money.

Allan B. McComb acted as chairman, and filled that office in a very capable manner. He called to the platform all service men and women present. About a score of men accepted the invitation and LAW Beatrice Caldwell, of the R. C. A. F., of Trenton, was also present. All spoke a few words of welcome and appreciation, expressing their pleasure at seeing Dave back home after being for four years a prisoner in the hands of the Japanese.

Dave's three brothers, Charlie, Clarence and Ralph, came to the platform and stood beside him as they told the audience of their delight at having their brother home once again. Their mother, Mrs. Jennie Wellman, also spoke and said how happy she was to have her son safe at home, and thanked her many kind friends and neighbours for their thoughtfulness and kindness during his absence. Others asked to speak were Rev. J. M. Brownlie, Deputy Reeve John Morrison, and J. F. Baker. Mr. Brownlie likened Dave's return from a Jap prison camp to the return of "The Prodigal Son" of the scriptures, inasmuch as we can say that it is almost like one returning from the dead.

Miss Rosa Spry, Regent of the local Chapter of the I.O.D.E., which is in charge of the collection in this district, reports over a ton of clothing and shoes sent and almost half a ton on hand. Persons wishing to make donations may leave their bundles at the Agricultural Office or phone Miss Spry.

LOSES HUSBAND

Friends in Stirling and district will extend sympathy to Mrs. Lionel Geo. Harris, of Belleville, (formerly Bertha Shaw, of Stirling) whose husband died in Belleville hospital on Wednesday. Funeral at 2:30 p.m. on Friday from Martin Funeral Home, Belleville.

Local Happenings of Interest About Town

Mrs. Roy Deannard and Judy are visiting friends in Peterborough this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McKeown of Sime were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Eggleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hatfield of Rossmore, Prince Edward, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ward.

Mrs. Minnie Stillman of Woodstock left for home to-day after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bell.

Mrs. J. C. Crampton and son, Ward, of Innisville, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Ward.

Mr. R. H. Williams spent the past week visiting his brother at Lyndhurst.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tucker, of Belleville, have purchased the home of Max Preston on Church Street.

Mr. Arthur Stevenson and daughter, Mrs. C. Rodgers, and Heather are spending this week with relatives in Nanapae.

Rev. A. M. Laverty and Mary Ann were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beatty of Hillholme, River Valley.

Mrs. Chester Hoard of Wallaceburg arrived on Thursday last to spend a month with relatives and friends.

Mrs. V. Nugent of Lindsay returned home Wednesday of this week following a holiday spent with Mrs. W. Preston.

Mrs. Harkness of Englehart, Ontario, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. X. Mayhew, and Mr. Mayhew this week.

crowd and proved himself to be "The Jolly Good Fellow" as the song had said. The National Anthem closed a very pleasant evening.

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Ninth Victory Loan Objective For Stirling And District \$197,000

Successful Dance

The Dance held in the Community Hall on Tuesday evening, October 23rd, under the auspices of St. John's Women's League was a decided success. Those present report an enjoyable time. The Aces Orchestra supplied the music for the Round and Square Dancing. The ladies served a grand lunch during intermission.

BADMINTON

A meeting of those interested in Badminton will be held in the Agricultural office on Tuesday next at 8 p.m.

If unable to be present, please signify your intentions to some friend who will be there.

High School Club Results

Standings of the members of the Stirling High School Poultry and Potato Clubs were announced this week by Mr. R. G. Paul, teacher of Agriculture. The awards are made on the basis of inspection, field notes, exhibit, judging and examination.

Poultry Club

Leghorn—1st, Bob Hulin, 915; 2nd, Ross Hermiston, 766; 3rd, Douglas McGee and Mae Sarles, tied with 695; 5th, Helen Eastwood, 683; 6th, Gladys Clarke, 658; 7th, Marjorie McCoy, 625; 8th, Daniel Reid, 604.

Barr'd Rock—1st, Donald Wilson, 792; 2nd, Jack Chambers, 759; 3rd, J. Wright, 746; 4th, Donald Ellis, 731; 5th, Robert Hoard, 703; 6th, Joan Hoard, 701; 7th, Glenn Bush, 663; 8th, Douglas Laury, 653; 9th, John Reid; 10th, Ruth Rose, 623; 11th, Mary Fox, 606; 12th, Mavis Hannah, 340.

Potato Club

1st, Gerald Bush, 755; 2nd, Glenn Bush, 704; 3rd, Eva Barton, 601; 4th, Hedley Barlow, 572; 5th, Glenn Wellman, 556; 6th, Eugene Burrell, 552; 7th, John Lanigan, 524; 8th, Lou McGee, 517; 9th, Barbara Sime, 509; 10th, Isabelle Chambers, 485; 11th, Margaret McGee, 481; 12th, Jean McIntosh, 468; 13th, Rayburn Holland, 449; 14th, Shirley Preston, 444; 15th, Lois Weaver, 417; 16th, Jimmy Wright, 412; 17th, Benny Mason, 403; 18th, Jas. Bailey, 380.

MARRIED

Morgan-Hubble—In Third Ave. United Church, Saskatoon, Saturday, Oct. 13th, 1945. Leona Fern Hubble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hubble, to LAC Milton Hamilton Morgan, of Dundurn, Sask.

These are the sincere wishes of the Stirling Women's Institute.

—Signed on behalf of the Women's Institute.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Rogers graciously replied following which a dainty lunch was served, and a social hour enjoyed.

Coming Events

CHICKEN SUPPER, DANCE AND Bingo, auspices of River Valley Community, Stirling Community Hall, November 28th. 6-1

RAWDON JUNIOR FARMER DANCE—Stirling Community Hall, Tuesday, Nov. 6th. Austin's Orchestra. Admission \$1.00 per couple. 6-2

HALLOWEEN PARTY BY 7TH I.O.D.E. Brownlie Pack, Stirling Community Hall, Oct. 30, 7 to 9 p.m. Prizes for costumes. All children welcome. Admission 15c each. 6-1

AUCTION SALE FARM IMPLEMENTS, hay grain and household effects of Bid Westover, Lot 26, concession 2, Sidney, 4 miles west of Belleville, Monday, October 29. Terms cash. G. W. Arnett, auctioneer.

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No Final Plans

It must be emphasized in the strongest possible terms that the official statement about the estimated size of Canada's army, navy and air force for the ensuring two-year "interim" period before the conclusive peacetime establishments are settled in not necessarily the absolute "final" peacetime scope of this nation's defence forces since the present unsettled state of world affairs may bring possible changes in any such future plans. This is stressed here on account of many false impressions which seem to prevail in Canada concerning these reports from Ottawa, where it has been suggested that Canada's so-called post-war air force will be composed of between 15,000 to 20,000 men in 10 squadrons, her army of about 20,000 men in addition to a large reserve force, and a navy of about 10,000 men in possibly 20 ships. Prior to the last war, Canada's air force had less than 4,000 men with an auxiliary of 1,000 and no reserve; her navy had less than 2,000 in five ships, and her army was very small. But the main point to bear in mind is that the plans already reported and which anxiously have been awaited are only tentative post-war estimates so that world affairs alone will be the actual determining factors of the eventual peacetime set-up of this nation's armed forces in the future.

Back Door Of Canada

It is not often that an observer can see in this session of Parliament members of the Liberal, Progressive-Conservative, C. C. F., Social Credit parties and other groups vote together in favour of a resolution proposed by a private member. However, this is something which happened in the House of Commons when the proposal was made that the Government should make the fullest possible use of the harbour and port facilities at Churchill at the end of the Hudson Bay Railway or management of the control of the port to a joint board appointed by the governments of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Members of various political parties or groups combined to support this proposal, and in the minority vote against it, though it was supported by many Liberals and Cabinet Ministers as well as others, were National Revenue Minister McCann, Parliamentary Assistant to the Finance Minister, R. W. Mayhew, Parliamentary Assistant to the Defence Minister, W. C. MacDonald and other Liberals. Transport Minister Chevrier and Reconstruction Minister Howe, who had constructed the grain elevator at Churchill in 1933 before entering politics as a private engineer, indicated how the Federal Government had done its best to promote the greater use of Churchill and the Hudson Bay Railway, with the information being disclosed that early in the last war sailings from this route were discontinued after a torpedo had sunk a ship and insufficient naval protection was available to use it frequently. Then again, it was revealed that in 1944 the railway's deficit was no less than \$623,847. In general, views were expressed that the necessary steps ought to be taken to bring more goods from abroad through Churchill in order to develop it, and supporters of this plan showed that as early as 1881 there were reports that Churchill can be made an all-year port as well as other reports that a bushel of wheat from Churchill could be shipped for a total cost of 29.25 cents to Liverpool as compared with 35.25 cents via Montreal or Vancouver. Churchill was the "back door to Canada" it was claimed in Parliament, with the majority of the members supporting every possible development of its harbour and port facilities.

Canada Is Honoured

The United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization's meeting in Quebec has been but one of several recent occasions when signal honours were paid to Canada as a nation amongst the nations of the world. This organization, UNFAO, born at Hot Springs, Va., in 1943, was the first body brought into actual operations by the United Nations since the war, and its meeting in Canada has been commented upon everywhere throughout the world. But there are others. Canada has been requested to attend the first meeting of the Far Eastern Advisory Commission concerning postwar control of Japan; a Canadian has acted as chairman of the second meeting of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration. There have been other signs in Ottawa recently of Canada's great growing prestige and position in world affairs, though it must be confessed that these reports have not always been properly understood by the man-in-the-street in Canada.

Continuation of Controls

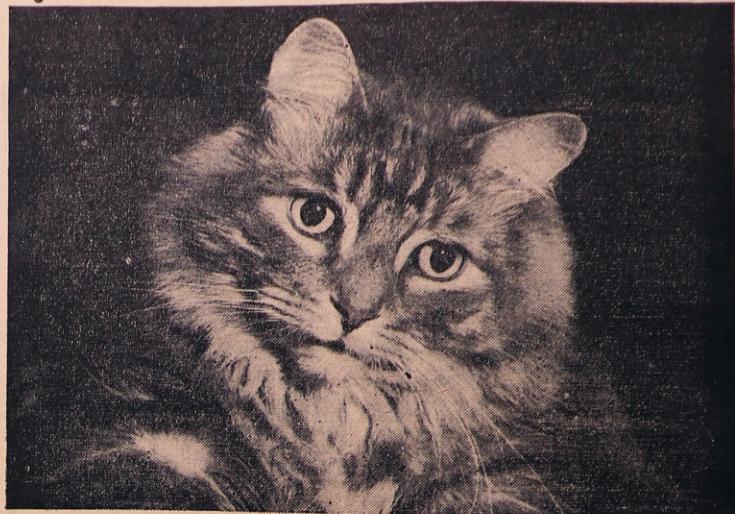
A hint has been given in Ottawa that there will be a continuation of controls for some time anyhow in order to fight inflationary tendencies which may arise after World War II, with this hint being detected in the words of the "National Emergency Powers Act," presented in Parliament by the Government through Justice Minister St. Laurent. This Act is to run for one year only, unless it is extended by Parliament, and it is similar in some ways to the War Measures Act, though, of course, considerably different in its much more limited scope. In any case, it is aimed as a means for fighting any inflationary tendencies in Canada during the present period after the war.

Consultation, But Not Decision

With the opening of offices in this nation's capital by the world famous town planner from Paris, France, Jacques Greber, in order to consider ways and means of rendering the beautification of Ottawa as a fitting national war memorial, the Minister



HOST AT QUEBEC: George J. Jessop, who is now manager of the "Conference Hotel", the historic Chateau Frontenac at Quebec. He succeeds Benjamin A. Neale, under whom he served as assistant manager in Toronto at the Royal York and at Quebec. Mr. Neale has retired under Canadian Pacific pension rules.



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But now at last the rising sun is ours
And with it comes new challenge to our powers.
Was war naught but a game to win by score
And, having won, to cheer, and strive no more?
If that be all for which our men have died
Then we have lied.

O Canada, most favoured of the lands,
Review whereon our right to victory stands,
Our vow to free and succour those oppressed,
Provide for those who fought and are distressed,
Who risked without reserve all they could give
To break our foes that we might freely live.
If we now stop to haggle at the cost
Then we'll have lost.

If we play square with those who fought our fight,
And work with them to shape our world aright,
Postpone our buying things we little need—
Prevent inflation growing through our greed,
Co-operate in peace as well as war
By loaning to our cause a little more...
If we keep faith until the job is done
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PLANNING for TOMORROW'S FARMING

ONTARIO'S FUTURE IN CHEESE alarm, but rather from the standpoint By W. H. Sproule, Professor of exploring possible trends and challenges. Dairying, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, Ontario.

(NOTE—This is the fifth in a series of comments by well-known authorities, written expressly for the Weekly Press of Ontario)

Last year, Ontario's cheese output was over 178 million pounds, an increase of 49 percent over the five year average prior to the war. During the same period 131 million pounds of cheese were exported to the United Kingdom. It is largely because of its position in the export market that cheese commands so much attention in Canadian Agricultural policy.

In periods of favourable prices for cheese and other farm products, it is well to give careful consideration to the future. It is beyond our reach to accurately anticipate what the post-war period may bring. We know that prices which we now enjoy are induced by war demands. It is therefore quite natural to expect that when the war is over and normal demands are resumed, many of the price advantages which we now enjoy will, of necessity, adjust themselves to lower levels. It was generally recognized while negotiations regarding the cheese contracts were under way between the British Ministry of Food and the representatives of Canada's Government, that while twenty-cent cheese was possible during the war, it could scarcely be considered a post-war price. However, it is not necessary that the future be viewed with

The impact of war is bound to create changed conditions, and these conditions—the aftermath of war—may be expected to be different from those which prevailed in pre-war times or during the period of the war itself. In order that the cheese producer may successfully meet the demands and uncertainties of the post-war period, a policy of conservation of financial resources now, when farm income is at a high level, would seem to provide the best assurance for the future adjustment period. The temptation to spend in keeping with increased earning power in the purchase of non-essentials should be avoided as much as possible. Funds thus preserved will be available later for both farm and cheese factory equipment which is likely to undergo considerable improvement in design, wearing quality and cost. Reserves of savings accumulated through the purchase of Victory Bonds and bank savings will enable dairymen not only to withstand loss of markets or decline in prices, should such occur, but also to make possible carrying through such post-war plans as may be deemed necessary in the best interests of the industry.

Let us recall that for the past five years of war the cheese industry has enjoyed a noncompetitive market for all surplus cheese supplies. With the termination of war, and the resumption of normal trade internationally, competition in markets is certain, and with it quality will become

the deciding factor. To assure the quality of cheese, high quality in milk supplies will be necessary. This involves the possible improvement and modification of many stables in which milk is produced and also the acquisition of modern milk-cooling facilities on many farms. Undoubtedly the fundamental cause of much of our second-grade and mediocre cheese is traceable to inferior milk supplies. It will be better in the future to provide the facilities and equipment necessary to assure high quality of product even at the expense of quantity. These improvements should not be attempted now because of the shortage of labour and materials. The future need of these improvements is one of the essential reasons for conserving finances at the present time.

Among other considerations to which the cheese and milk producer should give study immediately is the cost of producing milk from his own herd. Not only will the industry be confronted with competition in cheese quality, but price and cost of production also will be a vital factor in his future. One of the most important ways to reduce the cost of milk production will be to improve the average production per cow. There is no doubt that among our cheese-pro-

ducers herds of Ontario may be found many individual cows and even herds which, at probable post-war prices for milk, would pay their maintenance, not to mention profits to their owner. To establish these herds upon a paying basis at lower price levels for cheese will require drastic culling of low-producing cows. This will entail a policy of herd improvement which will involve the keeping of milk and fat production records, followed by judicious selection of good cows for replacements. The acquisition of bulls of proven ancestry and the possible introduction of additional females into the herd where necessary will, of course, require the investment of capital which should be provided for post-war plans.

From the standpoint of cheese manufacturing costs, there is little doubt of the existence of too many small, poorly-equipped factories in Ontario—factories in which the present cheese tonnage output is too small to permit employing sufficient trained personnel to manufacture cheese economically. Many of these factories have been operating year after year with old equipment which has reached a poor state of repair, and is not conducive to high quality cheese. Future demands will un-

doubtedly make necessary a recognition on the part of cheese producers and factory owners of the need for improved manufacturing facilities. In many instances the amalgamation of two or more existing factories may offer a solution. In such cases, a new building fully equipped with modern vats, cheese presses, and curing rooms should be provided, for which the cost can be partly subsidized by the government. The remaining fifty per cent of the cost might be provided from a reserve established for this purpose (facilitated by authorizing that deductions be made from milk payments now when prices are most favorable. The aggregate of funds thus collected might be invested in Victory Bonds in which

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A Message TO FARMERS from a Farmer



H. H. Hannam is President and Managing Director of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture. In a message addressed to farmers, Mr. Hannam says:

"The farmer who is wise will look ahead and plan carefully.

"And in these years when prices and returns are more satisfactory than they have been, when labor is scarce, when farm machinery is restricted, when building materials are not readily available, a good course to follow would be that of putting a substantial share of the year's earnings into sound securities such as Victory Bonds. These reserves will not only provide a measure of insurance against difficulties in less favorable years, but at such time when supplies are favorable and costs will probably be lower, their purchasing power will be greater and return from them correspondingly increased.

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St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church
Rev. W. H. V. Walker, Minister
Sunday, October 28th, 1945
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—S.S. and Morning Worship
3.00 p.m.—West Huntingdon

Rawdon Circuit
Rev. T. F. Townsend, B.A., B.D.
Minister
Sunday, October 28th, 1945
BETHEL ANNIVERSARY
11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.
Rev. E. M. Cadigan, of Marmora,
guest preacher.
Services in other charges withdrawn.

St. Paul's United Church
Rev. A. M. Laverty, Minister
Sunday, October 28th, 1945
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Morning worship
1.30 p.m.—Carmel S.S.
2.30 p.m.—Carmel Service

GRACE CHAPEL
Sunday, October 28th, 1945
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Lord's Supper.
7.30 p.m.—Gospel Service
Speaker:
Mr. A. R. McConkey of St.
Thomas, Ont.

McKeown has purchased the house and lot formerly owned by Mr. Robert Scarlett.

Little Allan MacConnell spent a few days recently with Mrs. C. A. MacConnell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Stevens, Salmon Lake, are guests of the former's sister, Mrs. George Thompson, and Mr. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mariott, Chipewa, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Heath.

WELLMANS

Mrs. Jasper Ryan and Mrs. Evelyn Dafae of Belleville spent a few days with Mrs. Clarence Dunham.

Mrs. Clarence Douglas and children of White Lake spent Friday evening with Mrs. Paul Sharp.

Miss Della Johnston of Belleville spent Sunday with her father, Mr. Alex Johnston.

Mr. Charles Maybee has received his discharge and is at his home at Wellman's.

Miss Marie Snarr of Stirling is spending a week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Snarr. Quite a number from Wellman's attended the wedding of Miss Ana English and Mr. Lorne Watson at Thomasburg on Saturday.

Those from Wellman's attending the mission rally at Mount Pleasant on Friday afternoon were: Miss Emma Rainie, Mrs. Charles Dunham, Mrs. Ed. Todd, Mrs. Lindsay Pollock and Mrs. Clifford Clancy.

Miss Eleanor Graham took tea Sunday evening with Miss Betty Hulin.

Miss Betty Hulin took dinner Friday with Miss Eleanor Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher returned home on Friday after spending the past month with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mason and family of Sudbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rowe and children took tea Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McGee and Donna, and Mr. George McGee.

Mr. Norman Allan of Kenmore, N.Y., spent a few days at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McKeown and family of Bonarlaw spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Reg. McGee and Donna, and Mr. George McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Maybee and Betty, Mrs. Jack Preston, Jackie and Sheila, and Mr. Billie Maybee spent a couple of days with relatives in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thrasher of Mt. Pleasant, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thrasher and Teddy, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Hutchison of Burnbrae, spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher. Mr. and Mrs. Will Hutchison remained for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thrasher and Mr. and Mrs. Will Hutchison took dinner Wednesday with Mrs. Paul Sharp.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Morton were guests at two weddings Saturday—the Watson-English wedding at Thomasburg, and the Mulligan-Burgess wedding at Norwood.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rainie and James, and Miss Emma Rainie were guests at the wedding of Miss Ana English and Mr. Lorne Watson at Thomasburg United Church on Saturday afternoon.

FULLER

Community Service was held in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday afternoon. During the regular service a baptismal service was held, when Rita Grace, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morgan, Patricia Marie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson, and Donald Samuel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Caivert, were baptized by Rev. J. W. MacDonald.

Mrs. Wm. Dean and Mrs. James Wilson and family spent one day recently with Mrs. W. Hazzard, Mofra.

Mrs. Elizabeth Faulkner, who spent the past two weeks at her nephew's,

Week-End Food SPECIALS

Friday and Saturday, October 19 - 20th



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FRANK STAPLEY

STIRLING

Mr. Charles Irvine, has returned to his home in Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Wright, of Belleville, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Burke and Miss Bessie Hollinger.

Mr. John Mitts, Belleville, spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mitts.

Mrs. Jennet Utman, Stirling, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Irvine.

Chicken Pox is prevalent in the Fuller district.

On Wednesday afternoon, October 17th, several little friends and playmates of Calvin Bradley were entertained at his home on the occasion of his second birthday. Calvin was presented with many lovely gifts. A delicious lunch was served.

Mr. Arthur Morgan caught a large timber wolf in a trap one night recently.

Several from here attended the wedding in Thomasburg on Saturday afternoon of Miss Ana English and Mr. Lorne Watson.

THE LATE CHARLES MCGILIVRAY

Friends in Stirling, particularly in the Anson neighbourhood, will regret to learn of the recent death of Charles McGilivray, of Shaunavon, Saskatchewan. He was the second son of the late Neil McGilivray and Lannie Weir, and spent his boyhood days on the farm where Mr. Herbert Smith formerly resided. He was found dead in his garage and left to mourn his passing, his widow, a son in the R.C.A.F., and a married daughter in Winnipeg, one brother, John, of Climax, Saskatchewan, also survives. A younger brother, Robert, prede-

NOTICE

TO ALL HOG PRODUCERS IN HASTINGS

HOG MARKETING SCHEME UNDER CONSIDERATION

A proposed Hog Marketing Scheme for Ontario, under the Farm Products Control Board by the Ontario Hog Producers Association.

Before the Board will consider recommending the scheme, it must be satisfied that a fair representation of the Hog Producers are in favour of its adoption. In order to obtain the recorded views of the Producers, a vote by ballot is being taken on the question.....

"ARE YOU IN FAVOUR OF THE PROPOSED ONTARIO HOG PRODUCERS MARKETING SCHEME BEING BROUGHT INTO FORCE IN ONTARIO?"

YOUR AGRICULTURAL REPRESENTATIVE
H. L. FAIR
Stirling - Ontario

ALL HOG PRODUCERS ARE URGENTLY REQUESTED TO REGISTER, TO ATTEND THE MEETING IN THEIR AREA -- AND TO VOTE!

ONTARIO FARM PRODUCTS CONTROL BOARD
G. F. PERKIN

ALL PRODUCERS MUST REGISTER

Only Hog Producers who are registered for the purpose with their own County Agricultural Representative will be entitled to vote on the scheme. All Hog Producers are therefore urged to register at once by mail, or in person at their County Agricultural Representative's office in order to be eligible to vote. When registering by mail, please forward name, address and township.

PUBLIC MEETING TO BE HELD

CANNIFTON
MONDAY
Nov. 12
at 8 p.m.

At this meeting the scheme will be explained fully and questions answered. Ballots will be supplied at the meeting to producers who have registered, so that they may vote then. Registrations will be accepted at the meeting and also for ten days after it. All producers who are registered will receive ballots, either at the Agricultural Representative's office, at the meeting or by mail. Copies of the proposed scheme may be secured at the Agricultural Representative's office or at the public meeting.

All ballots must be returned to the Agricultural Representative before December 8, 1945. Any Ballots received after that date will not be recorded.

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FOR SALE

Small holding of late James Phillip, 5th Concession of Thurlow, near Zion's Hill Cheese Factory. 4 acres, part pasture with creek, excellent early garden site, well piped from spring. 6 apple trees, McIntosh, Yellow Transparents, Melba, Wealthy, Warr House, (white) 24x36, shutters, double windows, screen doors, 2 separate stone basements under house, each with outside entrance, one built for winter storage of bees, almost new roof (asbestos shingles), cistern. Small bank barn, 23x35, stables and shed in basement; modern hen-house for 100 hens with grain compartment. Small cement building, 7x11. Hydro, rural mail, telephone available. Terms cash. For further information write to Mrs. Leah Easson, 18 Ossington Avenue, Ottawa. 5-3t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of the Estate of William Thomas Wannamaker, late of the Village of Stirling, in the County of Hastings, Gentleman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section 56 of the Trustee Act, R.S.O. 1937, Chap. 165, that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of William Thomas Wannamaker, who died on or about the 6th day of June, 1945, at Stirling, are required on or before the 20th day of November, 1945, to send by post, prepaid or deliver to E. Ormonde Butler, Solicitor for the executors of the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, their Christian names and surnames, addresses, and descriptions, the full particulars in writing of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

And take notice that after such last mentioned date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the assets of any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

E. ORMONDE BUTLER,
28 Bridge St., East
Belleville, Ont.

5-3t
Solicitor for the Executors.
Dated at Belleville this 15th day of October, 1945.

MADOC JUNCTION

Mr. Kenneth Stewart spent the tea hour on Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. N. Wannamaker.

Miss Dorothy Pidgeon, Reg. N., of Peterborough, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morton, who passed away Oct. 28th, 1942.

In our hearts a memory is kept of one we love and never forget.

—Lovingly remembered by his wife and family. 6-1p

Several from here attended Anniversary Services in Stirling Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelsen Stapley and family spent Saturday in Trenton with Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Stapley.

Mr. and Mrs. Forde Stapley and Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Stapley and girls, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold West of Stirling.

Mrs. George Eggleton, of Belleville, spent Monday with Miss Dorothy Pidgeon at the home of Mrs. W. Harlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Danford, Mr. Gordon Clarke, were dinner guests on Sunday.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
AND OTHERS

In the matter of the Estate of Charles Allen Mitz, late of the Township of Huntingdon, in the County of Hastings, farmer, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1937, Chapter 165, Section 51, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Charles Allen Mitz, late of the Township of Huntingdon, in the County of Hastings, farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 20th of May, A.D., 1945, are requested to forward their claims, duly proven, to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of November, A.D. 1945.

AND NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that after the said date the executors will proceed to distribute the estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which they shall then have notice.

DATED at Belleville, this 6th day of October, A.D. 1945.

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P. O. Box 278
Belleville, Ontario

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Solicitors for the Executors.

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Sunday evening of Mrs. Ethel Danford, and Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Scott of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Flood and Helen left on Wednesday for Port Hope. Mr. Flood will be employed by the Canadian National Railways at Grafton.

Mesdames Nelson and Russell Stapley, E. Flood, Crawford, Milton Reid, Warren Harlow attended the W. M. S. Rally at Mount Pleasant on Friday.

RIVER VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Todd, of Peterborough, spent a few days recently with Mr. and Mrs. John Kane and family.

Mrs. Stanley Irvin spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. D. Jackson, and her brother, Mr. P. Jackson.

Miss Phyllis Beatty spent the weekend with her friend, Miss Keisha Bush. Pte. William Alexander, of Toronto, spent a recent weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bush and girls.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. K. Morrow on the arrival of a fine baby girl.

Miss June Crosby spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bush.

A number from here attended the Anniversary services at St. Paul's United Church, Stirling, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Bush, Adeleene, Marjorie and Norman McKay spent

Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Utman.

Mr. Jack Bush spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bush.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Conley have moved to the farm of Mr. Harry Sheridan.

Thank You!

This issue of the News-Argus goes to our readers through the assistance of our good friend and neighbor, Wilbert Kingston, editor of the Campbellford Herald, and his brother, Kenneth, who set part of the type.

Owing to the death of Mr. Wm. Desjardins, our efficient linotype operator for the past four and a half years, we are shorthanded and we ask the forbearance of our readers until such time as we can fill the vacancy.

To all those who assisted, or who offered their assistance, we extend a sincere 'thank you'.

ST. ANDREW'S LADIES' AID

The members of St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid met on Thursday last at the home of Mrs. Percy Craighead.

Mrs. L. Rodgers, the president, was in charge during a short business meeting. Plans were made for the supper to be served on October 26th to those attending the annual Convention of the district Religious Education Council.

IN MEMORIAM

MORTON—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Hugh Morton, who passed away Oct. 28th, 1942.

In our hearts a memory is kept of one we love and never forget.

—Lovingly remembered by his wife and family. 6-1p

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. William L. Desjardins and son, Gerald, wish to thank their friends and neighbours for their many expressions of sympathy and acts of kindness during their recent bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Danford, Mr. Gordon Clarke, were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold West of Stirling.

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ST. PAUL'S ANNIVERSARY

(continued from page one)
knows all about you, then He will look after you anyway. We all admitted that we were not self-sufficient, and needed the help of God. When making a petition, you get an answer Yes

or No. You are wrong if you say you do not get an answer.

"Jesus Christ got down on His knees and sweated and prayed, 'Let this cup pass,' and He was asking God for something. God answered His prayer—God said no.

"If you do not get the answer you want, that is too bad. But life proved to you time and time again that no

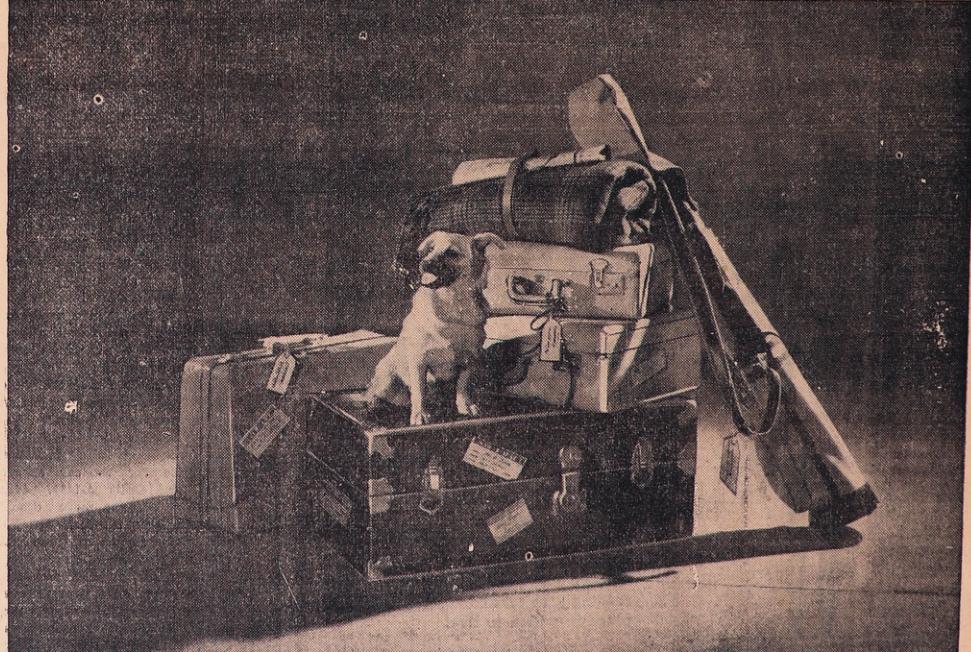
is the right answer. We are simply unable to see the end of our life and know what the right answer should be.

"Others question, 'Is prayer just a talk with ourselves?' When Jesus retired with himself by the Lake of Galilee and came back down, His friends then knew He had not been just talking with himself. There was a radiance on his face. We are

given the power of a free world and life proves over and over again that there are many things that God can do.

What about when you pray on and on and do not seem to be getting an answer? If you want Him, keep the contact open: keep your own life clean. The fault lies so often with ourselves. The person who only spends ten minutes a day thinking of God, and the rest of himself, cannot expect much response to his prayers. Pray whenever you can—there is no fixed place for it. You can pray in a tent, in a cellar or a German house with the top blown off, or in a jeep—there are some places where you have got to pray or cave inside out."

The closing hymn was "Abide With Me, Fast Falls the Eventide."

Borden's
ICE CREAM

"... and someday, WE'LL take a trip!"

SOMEWHERE in the back of your mind, there's that urge to go places. Right now it must be filed under "Future" but it's part of us as Canadians to want to discover for ourselves what the rest of the world is like—to plan for that "some day," when we'll take a trip! That's why it must be part of our planning now, to make sure such pleasant things as trips are possible in the post-war world. And they'll be possible only if we fight against inflation—fight now to keep Canada's dollar worth a full dollar!

Why is NOW so important? Because NOW civilian goods are scarce, money is plentiful. NOW is the time we must support rationing and price controls!

Up to the present, we've kept our dollar sound. And we can continue to do so if we keep up a strong, steady fight against inflation!

If we fail in this fight, prices will rise. Wages will never quite catch up. Soon you'll pay, perhaps a dollar for a quarter's worth of goods! And that means your dollar is worth only a quarter! That's inflation.

And after inflation, comes depression. Depression means neither you nor anyone else in Canada will have trips. You'll be lucky if you have a job! So, for our own sakes, for the sake of returned men, for our children, let's never relax our struggle to keep Canada's dollar worth a full dollar!

Make this Pledge Today!

I pledge myself to do my part in fighting inflation:

By observing rationing and avoiding black markets in any shape or form.

By respecting price controls and other anti-inflation measures, and refraining from carelessness and unnecessary buying. I will not buy two where one will do, nor will I buy a "new" where an "old" will do.

By buying Victory Bonds and War Savings Stamps, supporting taxation and abiding by all such measures which will lower the cost of living and help keep prices at normal level.

Hog Marketing Plan Endorsed

Ontario Hog Producers' Association delegates, meeting in Toronto, endorsed proposed hog marketing plan which, according to Col. T. L. Kennedy, provincial agricultural minister, will bring an annual increase in income of \$3,000,000 to hog producers.

Voting on the plan by the producers will be on Dec. 8. Marketing will be divided into seven districts.

The conference also passed a resolution commanding the government action to control certain packing plants. It also asked the Dominion meat board to provide producers with information concerning a "fair and equitable basic minimum price."

FULLER

Anniversary Services were held in the United Church on Sunday. Both morning and evening services were conducted by Rev. J. F. Lane, of Wellington. Special music for the day was rendered by the choir. During the evening service, Barbara May Brough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brough, of Campbellford and Terrance Arthur Switzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Switzer, Belleville, were baptized by Rev. Lane.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mitts and Mr. and Mrs. G. Mitts were Rev. J. F. Lane, Mrs. Lane and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Adams and girls.

Miss Stella Orr spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mitts.

Miss Bernice Mitts; also Messrs.

Wesely Mitts and B. Howard, of White Lake, were guests on Sunday of Mrs. Martha Mitts.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Switzer and family, of Belleville, took tea with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Kellar, on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dean has returned to her home here after spending the past month at Sydenham.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Palmer and Beverly, of Ivanhoe, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson.

Mrs. W. Harlow and Mrs. Stewart, of West Huntingdon, spent one day recently with Mr. and Mrs. H. Burke and Miss B. Hollinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brough, on Sunday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Borden Redcliffe were, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wickens and Elaine, of White Lake; Mrs. Wm. Faulkner, of Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Irvine and Reginald, also Master Douglas Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brough and family, took tea with Mr. and Mrs. S. Mitts and Mr. and Mrs. G. Mitts, on Sunday evening.

Miss Doris Kellar underwent an operation for appendicitis, one day last week.

Guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. H. Burke and Miss B. Hollinger, were Rev. J. F. Lane, Mrs. Lane and daughter, of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gray and Earl, of Latta. Mrs. O. Parks and son, of Plainfield, Mrs. Bob Gay, Mrs. P. McInroy, West Huntingdon, also Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fitchett and Marilyn, West Huntingdon.

Miss Bernice Mitts and Wesley Mitts, also B. Howard, were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kellar.

Miss Shirley Morland, Moira, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thompson.

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Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett, on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bennett and family, of Meyersburg, also Mr. and Mrs. Neil Morrison, of Campbellford.

Several from here attended Roseneath Fair.

Several from here have journeyed to Belleville to call on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson, who are patients in the hospital there, following a car accident last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hubbs, of Cedar Creek Cheese Factory, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Hubbs and Annie.

Mrs. James Stewart, of Campbellford spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Len Little.

Congratulations to our bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace.

Mr. Elmer Williams spent week-end at Sydenham, visiting his brother who has just returned from overseas.

In Hymen's Bonds

STAPLEY—JONES

Mums and gladioli made a very pretty setting for a wedding solemnized by Mr. Simon Brownson on Saturday, Oct. sixth, at 2:30 in Lorne Ave. Gospel Hall, Trenton, when Olive Helen Jones, became the bride of Garet Ernest Stapley, of Stirling.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, wore a gown of white satin with shirred bodice and pointed sleeves. Her finger-tip veil was sweetheart style with a circlet of orange blossoms and she carried a cascade of Bettertime red roses.

Miss Madeline Jones, sister of the bride, was gowned in pink net over taffeta with matching headress, and carried a bouquet of Butterly roses.

Mr. Harold Stapley, brother of the groom was best man and Mr. Everett Lake and Mr. James Booker were ushers.

Miss Hilda Stapley, sister of the groom, played the wedding music. During the signing of the register, Mr. and Mrs. James Booker sang.

At the reception the bride's mother received wearing black sheer with a corsage of red roses. The groom's mother assisted wearing brown crepe with a corsage of yellow roses.

For a trip west of here, the bride donned a lime green wool dress, brown coat and accessories. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Stapley will reside in Trenton.



Hello, Homemakers! Once again it is time to replace screens and awnings with storm windows and to clean and arrange our homes for winter living. Housecleaning may cause a burst of energy on the part of the homemaker, but it will be greeted by the other members of the family if everything is turned inside out at once.

It is wise to clean only one room at a time. Begin with the walls, then the floor and windos, and finally the furnishings. To remove wax from polished floors use vinegar in warm water or a standard cleaning fluid. To clean rugs and upholstery use a vacuum cleaner and the suitable attachments.

When cleaning bookcases and magazine racks, do not forget to sort out the more recent contents for the Navy League. Do not overlook the pictures, lighting fixtures and knickknacks. Now you are ready to rearrange the furniture and hang the fresh curtains.

RECIPES TO SUBSTITUTE FOR RICE

Barley Pudding

1/2 cup pearl barley, 4 cups milk, 1/4 cup corn syrup, 1/4 cup brown sugar, 1 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. vanilla, nutmeg.

Wash barley and soak it for one hour. Drain and put into well-greased pudding dish. Heat milk and add it to syrup, sugar and salt. Pour over barley. Dust with nutmeg and bake in an electric oven 255 degrees for 3 hours, stirring every half hour and adding avnilla at the last stirring. Serve with cream or boiled custard.

Suet Pudding

1 cup suet (chopped fine), 1 cup molasses, 1 cup bread crumbs, 1/2 cup sour milk, 1 1/2 cups flour, 1/2 tsp. cinnamon, 1/2 tsp. allspice, 1/4 tsp. cloves, 1 tsp. salt, 1 cup raisins, 1 cup prunes or stewed fruit, grated rind 1/2 lemon.

Mix and sift dry ingredients and combine with other ingredients. Turn into well-greased pudding dish, having the dish no more than 3/4 full. Cover closely with greased paper. Place in steamer and steam 3 hours. Serve with lemon or any pudding sauce, using corn syrup instead of sugar.

Macaroni Puding

1 cupful macaroni, 1 tsp. salt, 1/2 cup corn syrup, 1/4 cup brown sugar, 2 eggs, lightly beaten, 2 cups milk, 1 tsp. vanilla, nutmeg, 1 tbsp. butter.

Add macaroni to pot of rapidly

boiling salted water, and cook until tender. Drain. Pour into buttered pudding dish. Add the well-beaten eggs to the milk and vanilla. Pour over the macaroni. Dust with nutmeg or cinnamon. Dot with butter. Set in pan of hot water and bake in a moderate oven until custard is set and top a golden brown. Serve with top of milk or cream.

Old-Time Apple Pudding

Pare four large, sour apples, core and chop fine with chopping knife in crocking bowl. Mix 4 ounces (about a cup) of stale bread crumbs with 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon and a half of one grated nutmeg, and mix with the apples. Beat the yolks of 4 eggs, and add to the mixture. Stir in the whites carefully, until the whole is moist enough to hold together, then steam for 2 hours in a well-greased mould. Serve hot with a foamy sauce, which should supply enough sweetening unless apples are excessively sour.

TO HOLD SHORT SESSION

Premier Drew has announced a short special session of the Ontario Legislature will be held this Fall. The Premier said the regular "full dress" session of the Legislature will open next February.

THOU SHALT NOT KILL!

Drive Carefully!

He:
Come live with me and
be my love
And we will all the
pleasures prove
That valleys, groves and
hills and fields,
Woods or steepy moun-
tains yield.

— Marlowe

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She:
If all the world and love
were young
And truth in every lov-
er's tongue,
These pretty pleasures
might we yield
To live with thee and
be thy love.

— Walter Raleigh

every four pounds of meat purchased.

Q: What meats are not rationed in Canada?

A: Blood sausage, liver, kidney, heart, tongue in fresh, cured, smoked or cooked forms are temporarily off the ration list. However, these meats are rationed if combined with other rationed meats or packed in sealed containers.

Q: Is it permissible to serve liver or other types of unrationed meats in restaurants on Meatless Days?

A: No. Public eating places are not permitted to serve any kind of meat on a Meatless Day.

Q: Recently I ordered a pound of lard from my grocer who refused to sell me the pound unless I agreed to purchase a dollar's worth of other groceries in his store. Is he allowed to do this?

A: Your grocer would be within his rights if he were to refuse to sell you a pound of lard. Offering to sell one article with several others is a conditional sale which is prohibited by the Prices Board. You should advise him to this effect.

Q: My butcher last week charged me 55 cents per pound for round steak minced. This price appears to be much too high to me. Have I been overcharged?

A: Definitely. It would seem that you have been overcharged by approximately 12 cents per pound. You can avoid being overcharged by checking the price for a beef cut on the beef price chart which your butcher must display.

Q: If I do not buy my meat from a butcher, but purchase it from a neighbouring farmer, do I have to surrender coupons for it?

A: Yes. You must give ration coupons to the farmer from whom you purchase the meat. You will have to surrender one coupon for

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The Girl of The Double R

By Betty Blockinger

CHAPTER II.

Ralph Rowland was off to the wars. His sister, Rusty, drove him to the station. She hated to see him go, leaving only an uncle, young brother and her mother on the ranch. She knew she would have to run the ranch and would receive little help from any of them. On the way back to the ranch she ran into a storm, found a stranger calling himself "Herb" wrecked. She pulled his car out of the water before deciding to try again to reach the ranch.

He held her away for a moment. "Let this be a lesson to you," he chuckled. "Don't pick up chance strangers on a lonely prairie."

His arms closed again around her, but not for long. "Let this," said Rusty grimly, "be a lesson to you . . . The arms, stranger Herb, are supposed to reach for the stars. . . . There, that's more like it."

How, thought Rusty wildly, could you keep a revolver in a man's midriff when he had such convulsive laughter.

On a morning a few weeks later, Rusty stood on the ranch house veranda and watched the sun's approach over the Nopoco.

Uncle Jed ambled out after her.

"What's for to-day?" he asked.

"That southern slope must be spaded," Rusty began earnestly. "We have got to get our next vegetable crop in without—"

"Of all the dad-gummed foolish nonsense!" burst from the old man. "This thing o' turning a respectable cow ranch into a truck garden is the dad-gummed blamedest!"

"Hold it," Rusty said, "and remember you're the eatestng man on this spread. If we can't get the gasoline to get into town to buy the vegetables that aren't on the market any longer, just what are you going to use for food?"

"I'll eat Mexican beans afore I'll lower myself to spading for spuds."

As Rusty rode on over the range, she told herself that she should not

blame two men for leaving. How could they be expected to withstand the lure of high wages in war plants? And the Double R could not afford to pay such wages.

Nor could she blame Uncle Jed for wanting to sell the young stock for high prices. It was a temptation. But Ralph had said that they must remain true to their country—and they would do much toward relieving the meat shortage if they sent their stocks to the feeders before selling. Those young steers out there would triple in size, would mean three times the meat for consumption, after they'd been built up for the packers.

Yet this meant very little additional profit for the ranch.

"Get thee behind me, uncle Jed," Rusty murmured, digging her heels into the pony's sides.

A tortuous path led the sharp rise of the first Nopoco. The pinto, Babe, took it carefully, kicking rolling rocks from under her hoofs. She came out on a shelf.

And then her attention was diverted to the far north, where a smudge of smoke showed the location of the distant city. This turned her thoughts to the red-headed stranger, Herb. Of course, he might have come from another city. . . .

Suddenly, Rusty stiffened. There to the north, near the road—those turkey hawks and buzzards wheeling. A dead prairie dog or rabbit. And the stock was huddled far from the spot. They were milling about in a tightly-packed mass against the line fence.

Babe picked her way down the first rise carefully. Then, finding the prairie soil beneath her, she stretched her legs and flew over the short green, her mistress straining forward as though she might help.

Rusty called out as she neared the milling mass of stock, and they lifted their white faces, only to lower them again and begin their ceaseless milling.

The last gate open, she rode in, circled them and drove them ahead to the gate. They poured through, and once through, went lumbering on south, she noticed.

Babe snorted, danced and turned her head. She backed and protested, she cowered and objected, and finally, knowing it was useless to change the mind of her mistress, she proceeded with mincing steps.

"Ah—" Rusty breathed the word in shocked surprise.

The herd was due for the feeder's trucks. Some of them would still be run up the tramway. But those over there—

"Why that's queer, why I've never seen anything like this. . . . Someone—someone has killed those and taken—"

Someone had come in, slaughtered the cattle, and taken only the prime cuts. The rest lay there spoiling in the sun.

Uncle Jed wouldn't believe it. He stomped around and defied Rusty.

"Can't be," he rumbled. "Cattle don't get themselves rifle-killed—Man wouldn't do a thing like that—no man—"

"Uncle," Rusty said, "Haven't you heard of black marketing? It's the

same as bootlegging—run by gangsters. Gangsters use high-powered rifles and machine guns, don't they?"

"Bah!" snorted the old man. "This is the range, girl. Gangsters don't come outside city limits 'less they're run out. You have been listening to too many of them radio dramers. Going out to take a look-see for myself."

He went to the door to bellow, "Manny!"

"Want me, Uncle?" inquired a voice from behind the nearest divan, and a shock of dark hair followed by two dark eyes appeared over the back. "Say, Sis, honest, were they gangsters like in the movies? Say, can I go with you, Uncle?"

"Ask your sister; she's boss around here," grumbled Jed Rowland. "Then get yourself out and whistle up Sudan."

"Let the boy go," Mrs. Rowland, coming in, promptly sank heavily into a chair. "Now, Rosalynn, tell me everything from the beginning. I do wish your father were here," she sighed as her brother-in-law went out. "We need a man to handle this. I think we'd better telephone Decker and see what he says."

Rusty would have preferred to call the sheriff. All the ranches should be warned, and he was the one to do it. But her mother insisted that she phone Ladue Decker.

She went to the hall phone. Three short and one long turn of the handle. As she picked up the receiver, she could hear other receivers being lifted all along the line. If she wanted to warn her neighbours, all she had to do was to tell Ladue what had occurred.

"Tell Ladue to come over," ordered her mother from the other room. "Don't go telling him things over the phone; have the whole country in on us for dinner. And with rationing—and Conchita acting the way she is—I couldn't face it."

"Hello, hello," came the sharp voice of Ladue's mother.

"This is Rusty, Mrs. Decker; is Ladue there?"

"He's about somewhere. What are you wanting with the boy?"

Rusty waited a moment. She felt everyone along the line waiting, wetting their tongues to relate, "Now that her brother's gone off, Rusty's running after Decker."

"Will you tell him my mother would like him to ride over. Something important has happened, and she and Uncle Jed want to discuss it with him."

"Important?" "What?"

Rusty gestured at her mother. "You can handle her; I can't," she whispered.

Rusty was relieved of going back to the scene of the slaughter with Decker when "Piney," the under-boss, offered to go with him.

"Now you forget this business, Miss Rusty," Piney advised. "We'll take care of it."

Forget it? How could she?

Then, began turning into the Double R—cars of neighbours who just thought they'd "drop in."

He dropped in stayed to dinner, then departed after Uncle Jed had glibly assured them that Rusty had "gone off half-cocked" merely because he found a dead yearling down in the north field.

"Hallucinations of rustlers," he chuckled.

In the kitchen, Rusty stood looking about in dismay. Conchita had left dirty dishes everywhere. The fires in the two big stoves were out, and the wood box was empty.

"Manny!"

Her young brother, who had been listening in on the men's conference, appeared hastily.

"Kindling and that box full of wood," Rusty ordered. "And make it snappy."

"Aw gee, Sis, us men are talking things over. Don't you want those gangsters to get caught? I gotta—"

Just then, Decker appeared and hooked a hand into Mannie's collar. "Come on, Big Stuff. We're com-mands, see? That woodpile out there is a mess of Japs. Let's see which of us can pick off the most in the least time. Ready? Charge!"

Washing dishes wasn't so bad, thought Rusty, when you had a companion who sang as he dried them.

"And the funny old hills," crooned Decker. He broke off. "You know, if I were to go to the bunk house and talk to those men of yours—I mean if I had the right kind of authority—"

"What do you call the right kind of authority?"

"If I were to go there as your fiance, they'd know they'd have to see the mark till Ralph got home."

Some of them don't cotton workin' for a girl!"

"They're not. They're working for the Double R the same as always, and they know it."

Decker went into a thoughtful rendition of "Tumbleweed" to break off with, "You haven't answered me."

"Answered?"

"I proposed."

Rusty turned, soapy hands going to her hips. Did you call that a proposal? It sounded more like the prospectus of a working agreement."

"Then how about this?" He pulled her to him. "Honest, little Half-pint, I've only been waiting for you to grow up. We can go into the Nopoco for a honeymoon. I know a great place to camp. Stream rushes down in a roar, then spreads out in a green pool. There are trees, Rusty, big trees, and the ground beneath them is like a park. Next month there'll be flowers in the clearing."

Rusty closed her eyes and saw a young man with red hair—half lank with river mud and water.

She pushed Decker away, "Sorry, something's lacking."

"What?"

She surveyed him critically. "Mud in your hair."

He laughed. "You mean 'mud in my eye'?"

"I don't know what I mean, Decker. It's just—no, but thank you."

He stared at her a moment as though not believing what he'd heard. And then into his eyes came a look of determination.

"You mean to say, 'not yet'?" All right—but I'll be back for the yes I have coming!"

He wheeled and strode out of the room.

After supper Rusty walked through the twilight to the mess shack where her riders were having their evening meal. Not all of them were there. Only the men from the nearby range had come in.

"Hi gang," she greeted them, as she entered. "G o on eating . . . Thanks, Ling, no coffee. The boys haven't enough as it is."

She told them what had happened and what they could expect; what plan they had worked out by Jed, Piney and Decker. Piney was already rounding up some riders whose prowess with a rifle was outstanding.

One grizzled old man at the far end of the table piped up,

"Ain't likin' their plan, are you, Miss Rusty? Why? Got loose wires in it, ain't it?"

"Well, if your Dad was a-doin' it, or Ralphy, they'd not wait to catch them gangsters with legal evidence of their crime. They'd go straight to the sheriff."

The men talked it over, Hank's voice rising above the others. Can't see any sense in lettin' them git themselves good beef to git caught with."

Rusty walked back to the house to find Piney had just ridden up.

"Short a man, Miss Rusty. Can round me up one and stake him out? Wan him over on that big east section. Tell him to ride from the big stump to the three rocks."

"I'll have someone there to cover," he promised.

But who? The men in the mess shack had already done a hard day's work.

She went to the corral, whistled up Babe and, saddling her, rode into the night.

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OTTAWA WEEK BY WEEK

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of Veterans Affairs, Hon. Ian MacKenzie, has stated in Ottawa that veterans will be consulted about this national war memorial plan, but he stressed that the final decision as to the war memorial will be a responsibility of the Government. So far it is reported in Ottawa that there is general satisfaction with the formulation of plans in the making for this ambitious project and Jacques Greber is hard at work in many conferences with officials and others.

No Monopoly

There is good progress across Canada in the construction of houses for veterans and their dependents. This has been made known in Ottawa by Reconstruction Minister Howe, who has explained that Wartime Housing Limited has the definite advantage of getting building supplies on a large mass basis, though no monopoly exists for this organization in any other way that would interfere with other building efforts.

More Money For M. P.

A Government resolution in the House of Commons indicates an intention to pay all members allowance of \$2,000 each for expenses incidental to the discharge of their duties and this would be in addition to the present \$4,000 sessional indemnity, with this new payment becoming effective as of the start of the present session on September 6, 1945. Indeed, members of all political groups have been

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known to favour such a change and there has been widespread dissatisfaction in the ranks of the members for a long time at the slow progress in the recreation of such an increase since the costs of living in Ottawa for the average member has been rather high lately.

Weekly Wind Up

The Pensions Commission is able now to handle claims resulting from wounds or serious disability obtained in World War II within about a week of receipt of the Medical Board report. This has been revealed in Ottawa. . . . State Secretary Hon. Paul Martin has informed the House of Commons that Sunday, November 11th will be observed as a day of remembrance for those who lost their lives in both World Wars I and II, with a two minutes silence being observed across Canada at 11 a.m. . . . Count Jean de Hauteclerc, the French Ambassador to Canada, has gone back to France for the purpose of conferring with the French authorities . . . It would not be surprising if Canadian newspapers had larger editions shortly, since it has become known in this capital that the abolition or increase of the newsprint ration for Canadian publishers as well as the removal of controls of exports of Canadian newsprint may be forthcoming soon, assuring a steady supply of newsprint for domestic consumption in Canada. . . . No less than 77 people were burned to death through the misuse of inflammable liquids and 307 lives were lost through fire as well as a property loss of about \$40,000,000 in Canada last year. This was disclosed in Ottawa by Canada's Fire Commissioner, W. L. Clairmont. . . . It is no longer a secret that members of Parliament are being flooded by requests of their constituents to help their sons, brothers, husbands and others to get their release from the armed forces as soon as possible in order that they might get back into civilian life or return home quickly, with this causing headaches to many members,

even if the peoples' representatives in Parliament would not admit it in public . . . It is still a topic of much conversation along Parliament Hill, and this refers to the excellent speech in French made on two occasions lately by Major E. D. Fulton, Progressive-Conservative member for Kamloops, who seems to have aroused much interest among other English-speaking members for his efforts to address the House of Commons in both official languages whenever possible. In fact, it is hinted in some quarters that other English-speaking members may endeavour to follow his example in trying to do as much as possible in this respect during this session as a method of aiding nationality and good-will within Parliament.

APPOINTED CHAIRMAN SECURITIES COMMISSION

Appointment of Hon. Charles P. McTague, former Justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario, as chairman of the Ontario Securities Commission was announced last night by Premier Geo. A. Drew on behalf of his Government. The Premier also announced that the new Securities Act, "the best Securities Act yet drafted," would be proclaimed "as soon as the necessary details have been worked out by Attorney-General Blackwell and the new chairman of the commission."

As the public was aware, the premier said, the Government had been seeking to secure the right man to fill the important position as head of the commission.

"Mr. McTague brings to this extremely important post," he said, "extensive practical experience with the problems to be dealt with by the commission. He has a fine reputation as a former Justice of the Supreme Court of Ontario, by which he was loaned to the Federal Government early in the war to act as chairman of the War Contracts Depreciation Board."

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REAL ESTATE

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WILLIAM LEON DESJARDINS

William Leon Desjardins, linotype operator with the News-Argus for the past four and a half years, died suddenly Sunday evening following a few hours' illness.

The late Mr. Desjardins was born in Picton, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Desjardins, and was in his 48th year. He was educated in the Picton schools and learned the printing trade at the Picton Times. In religion he was a Roman Catholic and while in Stirling was a devout member of St. James The Minor Church.

Of a quiet and unassuming manner, he was held in high regard by a wide circle of friends who sincerely mourn his sudden passing. His bereaved wife and son, Gerald, will have the widespread sympathy for their sorrowing loss.

He leaves to mourn his wife, the Gerald, of Stirling; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Desjardins, of Picton; a sister, Mrs. Frank DeLisle, and a brother, Thos. Desjardins, both of Toronto.

The funeral took place at 8:45 a.m. Wednesday from Duffin's Funeral Parlours to St. James the Minor Church, Stirling, where requiem mass was celebrated at 9 a.m. by Rev. Father S. Lessage.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Ed. Gorman, Vincent Farrell, Wm. Long, R. B. Bell, C. B. Rollins and H. R. Tompkins.

In Hymen's Bonds

PORTER-HATTON

Standards of pink and white chrysanthemums and Autumn leaves decorated Sherbourne Street United Church, Toronto, on Saturday, Oct. 20, for the wedding of Betty Eleanor Hatton, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford I. Hatton, Stirling, and Sqdn.-Leader Chas. Husband Porter, D.F.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Porter, of Weston, Ont. Capt. A. M. Laverty officiated. Mr. T. D. Atkinson was at the organ and Miss Ruth Bromley sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Perfect Love."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a traditional white satin wedding gown fashioned with a sweetheart neckline and tight fitting bodice. The full ballerina skirt ended in a small sweep and a wreath of pearls caught her finger-tip veil. She carried white chrysanthemums and bouvardia and wore pearls, the gift of the groom.

Mrs. E. Beamish, as matron of honor, and Miss Jacqueline Moynes as bridesmaid, were gowned alike in dresses of Oriental flame with feather headresses of black and flame. Both carried cascades of Sweetheart roses and sweet peas.

Mr. John Porter was groomsman and the ushers were Flt. Lt. Stewart May, Sqdn.-Ldr. Laurence Wells, Mr. Cecil Baker and Mr. Robt. L. Hatton.

To receive at Sherbourne House Club, the bride's mother chose a becoming gown of pencil blue with French cerise sequin trimming. She wore a cerise hat, stone marlins furs and a corsage of American Beauty roses. The groom's mother wore a tulip frock with matching hat and silver fox furs and corsage of Better Time roses.

For travelling the bride changed to a mist grey suit, topped with a three-quarter length coat with wide cuffs of squirrel. Her accessories were brown with an off-the-face hat and an apricot rose corsage.

The couple will honeymoon in Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec, and on their return will reside in Toronto.

WATSON-ENGLISH

Autumn leaves, foliage and lighted candles formed a most picturesque setting on Saturday October 20, at two o'clock in Thomasburg United Church, when Ana Josephine, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew English, was united in holy matrimony to George Lorne Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Watson, of Harold, the Rev. Bernard Heywood officiating.

The bride, entering the church on the arm of her father to the strains of the Wedding March played by Mr. Fred Porter, was attired in a floor-length gown of white satin and net. The bodice was tight fitting with buttoned back, long fitted sleeves and sweetheart neckline. She wore a finger-tip veil and carried a bouquet of Better Time roses, bouvardia and fern.

Miss Margaret English, of Vancouver B.C., sister of the bride, was maid of honor wearing pale orchid with shoulder-length veil and carried a nosegay of Briarcliffe roses and white baby chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Morton English, of Port Hope, attired in moss green crepe with shoulder-length veil, was bridesmaid. She carried a nosegay of Talisman roses and yellow baby chrysanthemums.

Mr. Don Walker, of Harold, was groomsman and Messrs. Ward and Laird English, brothers of the bride, acted as ushers.

During the signing of the register, "O Promise Me" was very beautifully rendered by Miss Mina Dracup, Harold.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held for seventy guests in Thomasburg I.O.O.F. Hall. The mother of the bride received, wearing an ensemble of fuchsia crepe, black accessories and a corsage of Sunbeam roses. The mother of the groom received in flowered silk jersey and

wore a corsage of Talisman roses.

A delicious lunch was served by the Women's Association of the church, the waiters being: Marjorie Elliott, Mina Dracup, Alice Heasman, Marion Grills, Alexandra Gilmour, Hilda Burley, Maude Burke and Elsie Morton.

Immediately following the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Watson left by motor for Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo, the bride wearing a rose-colored wool suit, blue coat with cream wolf collar and matching accessories.

The groom's gift to the bride was a lovely chest of silver and to the groomsman and ushers, billfolds. The bride's gifts to the maid of honor, and bridesmaid, were earrings; to the soloist, a pin and to the pianist, a key chain.

Guests were present from: Tweed, Coryville, Frankford, Harold, Belleville, Trenton, Toronto and Buffalo.

RODGERS-RUNNALS

A quiet wedding took place on Saturday, October 20th, at 4 p.m., at St. Andrew's Presbyterian manse, when Anne Lenora, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Runnals, of Harold, became the bride of Walter Percy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis W. Rodgers of Stirling. Rev. W. H. V. Walker officiated.

The bride wore a brown wool suit, with brown accessories, and a corsage of yellow roses. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Lindsay McKeown, who chose a navy blue suit with matching accessories, and a corsage of Talisman roses.

Mr. Donald Rodgers, brother of the groom, was the best man.

Amid showers of confetti and good wishes, the happy couple left for points east.

On their return, they will reside in Belleville.

About People

(continued from page one) 21st, included Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Peary, Carmel; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morton, Sime; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stiles and family of Bonarlaw and Mr. and Mrs. Omar Chisholm of Belleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Percy McGuire of Belleville were guests of Mrs. Nina Morton and Mrs. Nora Wescott on Sunday last.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elliott were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Elliott and Don, of Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Leland Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Putnam of Wooler, and Mr. and Mrs. William Wiley and Doris of Murray.

Among those attending the Porter-Hatton wedding in Toronto on Saturday last were Mr. and Mrs. T. Spy. Cecil Baker; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Tompkins; and Mr. and Mrs. J. Whitehead, of Doris of Murray.

Cpl. S. M. Smith, recently returned from overseas, is spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. Spy before proceeding to his home in Winnipeg.

Friends of Mrs. Joseph Irish, of town, will regret to learn that she is a patient in Belleville Hospital, where she underwent an operation on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hulin, of Madoc, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hulin.

Mrs. Edna Jackman and Mrs. Pauline Tulough, of Toronto, spent the week-end in Stirling.

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